THE WEATHER

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MUNICIPAL COUNCIL ACTS ON $60,000 LOAN ORDER

Commr. Duncan Opposed to $1,000,000 High School—$60,000 for School Additions

At a meeting of the municipal council held this forenoon Commissioner Duncan went on record as in favor of a high school not to exceed the amount of the original appropriation of $700,000. He said he thought the public in general was not in favor of a $1,000,000 school and that the public paid the freight.

Mr. Duncan's statement along this line was the result of a question asked him by Commissioner Putnam relative to the power plant plans for the proposed school group. Mr. Duncan said the contract was not yet ready for final discussion, and Mr. Putnam suggested that the architect be advised not to proceed further with his plans until the engineer has his plans in readiness. No contract has yet been signed with an engineer though the council has gone on record as in favor of Engineer Kimball. In addition to

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FIRE IN A MILL

Lively Blaze at Waterhead Mills Did Much Damage

A serious fire was prevented at the Waterhead mills in Lawrence street this noon by the prompt and successful work of the factory fire department. The fire started in what is known as the "blower," between the napping room and the dust shed. The latter building was gutted on the inside and the fire started to work its way into the mill when checked by the mill fire squad. When the city department arrived in answer to a telephone call the fire had been practically checked though there was considerable smoke. A line of hose was laid in the mill and in a short time the blaze was placed under control. Besides the damage to the shed and one room in the mill some rolls of cloth were ruined. It was stated at the plant this afternoon that none of the departments was handicapped as a result of the fire and work was going on in full. The damage is confined to a few hundred dollars, it is stated.

BLOWN TO PIECES

Du Pont Plant Wrecked by Four Explosions—Three Killed

BLUEFIELD, W. Va., April 12.—Three persons were killed, a workman and two children, when the plant of the Du Pont Powder company at Nemours, Mercer county, eight miles from here, was blown to pieces by four explosions early today. The force of the explosions was such that houses in the little village were wrecked. The children were killed in their home, near the powder mill.

The principal damage was done by the first explosion, which is said to have completely destroyed the building in which it occurred. The succeeding explosions were believed to have been caused by flying embers and were of less intensity.

The Nemours plant had been working day and night on war orders.

4000 Kegs of Powder Blew Up

Four thousand kegs of black powder exploded from an unknown cause. The property loss is $100,000.

TO REORGANIZE ARMY

SENATE RESUMES DEBATE ON ARMY ORGANIZATION BILL—FINAL ACTION TUESDAY

WASHINGTON, April 12.—With the sugar tariff bill temporarily disposed of the senate resumed debate today on the army organization bill. Final action on the bill will come next Tuesday when by agreement a vote is to be taken.

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DIED SUDDENLY

Richard Harding Davis, Author and War Correspondent, Dead

MOUNT KISCO, N. Y., April 12.—Richard Harding Davis, author and war correspondent, died at his home here last night, from heart trouble. His body was found early this morning and he had apparently been stricken while at his telephone.

He had gone into his library to dictate a telegram to a friend in New York city. His wife assumed, when he did not return, that he had seated himself to read and she did not visit the library until after midnight.

Mr. Davis had been in failing health for some time, and had sought quiet in his country place under the care of his wife, who was Bessie McCoy, the actress.

IN SUPERIOR COURT

VERDICT FOR PLAINTIFF IN CASE OF WOTTON VS. STRACHAN—B. & M. CASE STILL ON

The jury in the case of Wilder & Wotton vs. Annie M. Strachan, an action of contract, by which the plaintiffs sought to recover for flour delivered at the bakery of the defendant, which was tried before Justice Bell at the civil session of the superior court, reported a verdict in the sum of $205.67 for the plaintiffs.

At noon the jury in the case of Hamilton vs. the Boston & Maine had not reported and inasmuch as no other case was ready, court adjourned until tomorrow morning.

GERMAN NOTE

Reply to U. S. Inquiry on Sussex Case Expected Today

WASHINGTON, April 12.—Germany's note regarding the Sussex and the other merchant ships which have recently met disaster was expected to reach the state department late today

Unofficial advices from Berlin said the communication had been presented to Ambassador Gerard and would be started on its way to Washington over the cables at once.

While confidential advices from Ambassador Gerard have stated that the note would contain a German disclaimer of responsibility in the Sussex and other cases, officials anxiously awaited its arrival because they realize that its text may have an important bearing on the American submarine policy.

It is understood that a general outline of the future course of the United States has been agreed upon by administration officials, although final decision will not be made until the note has been received, together with additional evidence collected by American diplomats which is due here tomorrow.

If a reply is sent to Berlin it is said that it will not deal exclusively with any one case, but will cover the whole history of Germany's submarine campaign from the time of the Lusitania down to the present and will be designed to preclude any extended diplomatic negotiations

Col. E. M. House, close adviser of President Wilson, is in Washington for the fourth time since his return from Europe. His presence here at a time when the American policy is about to be determined is regarded as significant.

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ANOTHER ATTEMPT TO BREAK FRENCH LINE

Germans Claim Ground Gain in the Caillette Wood—Paris Reports Germans Suffered Heavy Losses—Fighting on Greek Frontier—British Mesopotamia Forces Defeated By Turks

In Caurettes wood, just west of the Meuse river, another attempt to break the French line defending Verdun was made this morning by German troops. The official communication from Paris says the attack was repulsed. East of the river there was no infantry fighting during the night, although the artillery kept up its incessant fire.

The official report of today from Berlin says German troops yesterday gained some ground in Caillette wood, southeast of Fort Douaumont, and that several French attacks broke down with heavy losses.

German Losses Heavy

The official French statement says the German losses in yesterday's fighting were very heavy. Press despatches from Paris give praise to the German soldiers who after nearly two months of the fiercest fighting, keep up the struggle with no visible diminution of courage and ardor. The French, too, sustain the shock of battle with no evidences of fatigue, and the struggle for Verdun goes on with no sign of an ending.

Fighting on Greek Frontier

After a winter of inactivity along the Greek frontier heavy fighting is now under way, although apparently it is still confined principally to artillery actions. An unconfirmed report from Saloniki tells of the capture of a fortified position by the Germanic allies but so far as is indicated no large bodies of infantry have been engaged.

New British Ship Sunk

The destruction of British shipping, which is causing concern in England, continues at a rapid rate. The Senator, a new British 3500 ton steamship, has been sent to the bottom. The crew is believed to have been rescued.

Dutch Ship Torpedoed

Official investigation of the sinking of the Dutch steamships Tubantia and Palembang has resulted in a finding that both were torpedoed. It is said this has been established conclusively and the theory that the Palembang may have struck a mine is rejected.

Spain is awaiting further information before deciding its course in respect to the sinking of the Spanish steamship Santanderino with the loss of four lives. The Santanderino is reported unofficially to have been sunk by a submarine, but Premier Romanones expressed himself as reluctant to believe these reports until a thorough inquiry has been made. Meanwhile, he stated, preliminary instructions have been telegraphed to the Spanish ambassador in Berlin.

Turks Defeat British

The latest effort of the British forces in Mesopotamia to reach the troops besieged at Kut-el-Amara is said by the Turkish war office to have cost the former heavy losses. It is stated that more than 3000 British dead were counted after the battle which, according to a previous official British communication, occurred at Sanuayyat, on the Tigris below Kut-el-Amara.

MOODY CLUB CASE HEARD

Cecil P. Dodge Shouldered All the Responsibility and Was Fined $100—Others Let Go

The police court trial of the various members of the Moody club on the four separate complaints preferred by Superintendent of Police Welch in connection with the boxing exhibitions at the Playhouse, came to an abrupt close this forenoon when after Judge Enright had made a finding of guilty in the first case, Attorney Tierney for the club members and Supt. Welch held a consultation with the court and agreed to dispose of the cases without any trial of the remaining three matters.

Cecil P. Dodge shouldered the entire responsibility for the club entertainments and under oath testified that the others involved in the court cases were simply his employes and had nothing to do with the organization's business, thereby freeing them from any liability in the case. Mr. Dodge was then fined in each of the three complaints, the fines totalling $100. There were no other fines imposed. As no appeal was taken it is understood that there will be no further attempt to hold boxing matches in this city.

In this first case which was threshed

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BASEBALL SEASON OPENS

Major League Races Start This Afternoon—Speaker Signs, and Plays With Cleveland

NEW YORK, April 12.—With fair weather reported from seven of the eight major league cities the opening games of the baseball season today probably will attract big attendances. The American league's initial pennant contest at Boston may have to be postponed, but that is the only city in either of the big league circuits where inclement weather conditions prevail.

As is the case each season, the two major league will stage their initial games equally between east and west. In the National league Boston will play at Brooklyn; New York at Philadelphia; Chicago at Cincinnati and Pittsburgh at St. Louis. Detroit will open at Chicago in the American league; St. Louis at Cleveland; Philadelphia at Boston and Washington at New York.

Many New Faces

More than the usual interest centers in the first contests this season on account of the many changes in the personnel of the teams and own-

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OFFICER IS SUSPENDED

SENT HIS WIFE TO THE STATION ON CHARGE OF DRUNKENNESS BUT SHE WAS NOT DRUNK

A local police officer has been suspended pending the filing of formal charges by Supt. Welch against him with Mayor O'Donnell, and the hearing which will undoubtedly follow.

It is alleged that the officer in question sent his wife to the police station Saturday night claiming that she was intoxicated. When brought before the captain in charge the latter found that the woman had not been drinking. The following morning the officer in question failed to put in an appearance and subsequently he presented himself at the station and was suspended by the superintendent pending a hearing by the mayor.

THE BOARD OF TRADE

ABOUT 400 TICKETS FOR THE TRANS-CONTINENTAL BANQUET HAVE BEEN SOLD

The time limit for the purchase of tickets for the Trans-continental Telephone banquet for the members of the board or trade under the auspices of the organization, which will be held at the Kasino in Thorndike street on the evening of April 26, is 6 o'clock this evening and under no consideration will any ticket be issued after the hour above mentioned.

Secretary Murphy informed The Sun this noon that about 400 tickets had been issued and it was probable that another hundred would be called for in the course of the afternoon. This dinner will be a notable one in the history of the Lowell board of trade for those in attendance will be given an opportunity to hear telephone conversations across the continent. Mayor O'Donnell will hold a brief conversation with the mayor of San Francisco, while President Marden of the Lowell board of trade will send a message of greetings over the wire to the president of the San Francisco chamber of commerce.

A telephone receiver will be placed at each plate and all those present will listen to the trans-continental conversations. Notable speakers will address the gathering and a moving picture show depicting the installation of the trans-continental line will be shown. It is believed that over 500 men will be in attendance.

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VILLA, CAPTURED, DEAD, HIDING AND FLEEING

Conflicting Reports From Mexico—Bandit Leader Now Said to Be in Sierra Madre Mountains

EL PASO, Tex., April 12.—Masking his trail with the deluding fiction spread broadcast by Mexican peons that he had died of his wounds, Francisco Villa is thought by Mexican military officers in Juarez to be safely hidden away today in the Sierra Madre mountains while the American cavalry are pursuing a rear guard band of Villa bandits, whose strategy it is to beguile Villa's pursuers away from the hiding place of their chief

Mexican followers of Villa say it was a favorite trick of the bandit leader, when the chase became hot, for him to have the story spread that he was dead, so the ardor of his pursuers might be dampened

Brig.-Gen. Pershing has established a new base at Satevo, according to information here, but no word has come from the flying columns of American cavalry under command of Cols. Dodd and Brown. There are reports that the advance columns have been forced to halt until the line of communications has been established south of Satevo.

There is nothing official here, or at army headquarters at Columbus, to confirm a report that Troops K and M, Seventh cavalry, killed a number of Villa bandits and captured 35 others last Saturday south of Satevo. Military officers at Columbus do not credit the report.

CARRANZA NOT TO INTERFERE WITH U. S.

WASHINGTON, April 12.—The administration has received assurances from Carranza that the de facto government of Mexico has no intention of interfering in any way with the progress of Gen. Pershing's expedition and that every commander has been instructed to make way for the American force.

The state department appears to be perfectly satisfied with these assurances, despite constantly repeated reports that there is danger of a break between this government and Mexico.

The administration appears to believe that Carranza has been justified in his unwillingness to formally bind himself to the proposals presented by this government, because such action, taken by him publicly, would give his opponents an opportunity to raise the anti-Gringo cry throughout the country.

Reports that Villa has been killed have received no credence at the war department. Ranking officers believe that these reports were circulated by Mexicans friendly with Villa for the purpose of throwing Gen. Pershing off his guard.

This afternoon the Mexican embassy announced that it had received such a report, but it originated from unofficial sources and was merely relayed to Carranza's Washington representative without verification.

PABLO LOPEZ, VILLA LIEUTENANT, DEAD

EL PASO, Tex., April 12.—An entire new version of the story of Villa's death was brought here today by a Mexican cattle man, who claimed to have suffered a visitation from a band of Villa followers on his ranch near Bachiniba. This man said that Villa was neither dead nor wounded, but that Pablo Lopez, the bandit's notorious lieutenant and executioner-in-chief, had died and that Villa had deliberately used his death as the basis of the story of his own finish.

The cattleman told the following story:

"I was in Guerrero at the time Villa came there and afterwards when the American soldiers arrived I believed it was safe for me to return to my ranch.

"Last Thursday a band of twenty of Villa's men rode up to the ranch house. They took a little grain that I had and killed one of my cows and had a great feast. They had several bottles of liquor that they had secured at Guerrero and Minica and got pretty drunk before they were through.

"They ridiculed the American soldiers and boasted about the way Villa had fooled the 'gringoes' by sending guides to the American officers with stories of different places in which he was riding. Then they talked about Lopez, and said that he was dying and that as soon as he was dead the gringoes would be told it was Villa and then they would all go home.

"They did not say anything about the whereabouts of the Villa bandits but I understood from their talk that he was far to the south and that they were under orders to meet him somewhere near Parral."

The Mexican who told this story is well known to several Americans here who considered him reliable.

Villa's ride south has been a disastrous one for the villages and the small towns through which he has raided, according to numerous reports received here. His men have looted at will and have been ruthless in their destruction of property. Several reports relate instances of women being assaulted and of Mexicans who were shot because of their supposed friendliness to Americans but none of them has been corroborated.

The most reliable information is to the effect that Villa is in northern Durango, trying to arrange for a concentration for his adherents who have been operating under Canuto Reyes.

GYPSY CHILD BURNED

DRESS CAUGHT FIRE IN NORTH BILLERICA CAMP — NOW AT HOSPITAL

Annie Stevens, aged five years, one of the children in the party of gypsies living in tents at North Billerica, is at the Lowell Corporation hospital suffering from burns sustained at the camping grounds yesterday. She is reported to be improved today and her condition is not considered critical.

Several wood fires are kept burning on the ground surrounding the camp. As the little girl was playing near the tent in which she lives yesterday, her dress became ignited by coming in contact with a fire. In a moment all her clothes were afire and the child ran about screaming pitifully. She was picked up by her parents and the flames extinguished though her body was badly burned. The child was then rushed to the Lowell hospital for treatment.

NOTICES OF INCREASES

Advance in Wages to Textile Operatives Extended to 3000 Additional Workers Today

BOSTON, April 12.—The advance in wages to textile operatives begun yesterday as part of a movement to have the workers share in the unusual prosperity now prevailing in the industry, was extended to approximately 3000 additional operatives in announcements by Massachusetts manufacturers of woolen and worsted goods today. The increase in nearly every case was 10 per cent., and will be effective April 17.

M. T. Stevens & Co., with plants at Andover, North Andover and Haverhill, employing upwards of 1000 persons; the Brightwood Manufacturing Co., with 500 employes, and the Sutton Woolen mills, with 250 workers, both at North Andover, posted notices of increases. The wool scouring mills of E. Frank Lewis at Lawrence, employing 400 operatives and the Davis & Furber Co., at North Andover, makers of textile machinery which has 800 employes, also joined the movement.

STRIKE AT LAWRENCE

LAWRENCE, April 12.—One hundred weavers at the Uswoco mills went out on a strike for higher wages today.

The 200 striking employes of the Arlington mills finishing department voted today to return to work Monday their request for an advance of two cents an hour being granted.

WANT 40 CENTS AN HOUR

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., April 12.—Demands for an eight-hour day and 40 cents an hour were expected to be presented, some time during today on the American Graphaphone Co., by about 500 pressmen who struck early today. The men quit, they said, because some of their number had been discharged on account of membership in a union.

Later the men said that in addition to asking for reinstatement of the discharged men they would make demands for changes in working conditions. They have been working ten hours at 36 cents an hour.

INCREASE AT NORTH ANDOVER

NORTH ANDOVER, April 12.—Notice of a 10 per cent increase in wages to go into effect Monday was posted at the Sutton mills here today. About 250 hands are affected.

Operatives in plants operated by the M. T. Stevens & Sons Co., in North Andover, Andover and Haverhill, employing more than 1000 hands, will receive a 10 per cent. increase in wages starting Monday, according to notices posted today.

The Brightwood Mfg. Co., employing 500, made a similar announcement today

The Davis & Furber Machine shop, employing 800, announced an advance of 5 per cent for all earning over $10 a week and of 10 per cent for all earning less than $10 per week, the increase to start next Monday

NOTICE IN LAWRENCE MILL

LAWRENCE, April 12.—Notices of a 10 per cent. increase in wages to go into effect today were posted this morning in the E. Frank Lewis wool scouring mill here. The mill employs about 400.

Notices of a 10 per cent wage increase at the Kunhardt mill, employing 1000, were posted today. The advance becomes effective next Monday.

ON TOUR OF INSPECTION

City Officials Studied Sewerage Problems in the Oaklands and Warrenville

Upon invitation of Charles J. Morse, commissioner of streets and highways, the mayor and other members of the municipal council; District Health Officer Dr. Charles E. Simpson; Hon. John H. Drury of the board of health; City Engineer Kearney and representatives of the press took a view yesterday afternoon of that portion of the Oaklands along the route of the proposed Oakland sewer, but in the absence of maps, pointing and describing the different brooks, sewers, drains and filter beds, it was rather difficult for the unsophisticated to get a very intelligent idea of the situation and it was very plain, in fact, that the city solons and their assistants were at a loss, at times, to know where sewage was seeping or where the various drains and sewers were located. Commissioner Morse, however, has a well defined plan for better sewage facilities for that section of the Oaklands, including Red Village, and while it will not be a permanent affair it will relieve the situation for the present year, and next year the Oaklands sewer, now ending in a field near the seat of trouble, will be extended to take care of that section for all time. This will entail considerable expense for it will include at least three branch sewers. Mr. Morse intended to start the extension this year, but so much money was required for other things that he decided to let it go over for another year. Besides viewing and discussing the sewer problem, the viewers also visited "danger spots" on the Concord river and Hale's brook as referred to by the water ways committee in communications to the mayor, and it was the consensus of opinion that the places visited should be fenced for the safety of children in these particular sections.

The sewage conditions as observed by the viewing party yesterday were, in a majority of instances, decidedly bad, and Dr. Simpson said that these conditions have existed since 1907, and that they have been and are today positively dangerous. He said that something should be done and must be done, and everybody on the board agreed with him. Mr. Drury of the local board of health was very active as a viewer and examined the bad places very carefully, discussing proposed relief schemes with Commissioner Morse and the city engineer. The mayor, too, took a keen interest in all that was going on, and Commissioner Putnam, who is fairly well acquainted with the sewer layout, assisted very materially in an intelligent discussion of the problem.

The first section of the Oaklands sewer, built seven years ago or more, stops at the end of Frothingham street, an unaccepted way, and it was here that the viewing party made its start. It is the intention to have the sewer follow the general line of a brook which flows east, then southeast, and finally south to Rogers street, not far from Red Village or Warrenville. Some day, perhaps, the good people of that section will decide upon a name, but at the present time it is referred to as Warrenville and Red Village, and it was hinted yesterday that it's real and final name will be Newtonville, after the Newton Mfg. Co.

The brook that points the course of the Oaklands sewer is a winding affair that if named by the Indians would probably be known as snake brook, but, regardless of its name, it is a very busy little brook and harbors sundry kinds of sludge, sewage and filth. The brook doesn't smell like geraniums and never will. Just at this season of the year there is water enough to keep the odors down; but a little later on it will be seen in all its nastiness. Dr. Simpson lives on the south slope of the Oaklands, and he avers that in the dear old summer time there are savory odors from the brook. The doctor was speaking of summers, too, when the Warrenville plant was closed, but this summer there will be 1200 persons employed there, and it doesn't take a sewer expert or sanitary engineer to understand what that will mean.

At Rogers street, near the Cawley land, on the northerly side, is a low-lying swampy area. It is proposed to run the extreme link of the Oaklands sewer from Rogers street down into this land and to a point where temporary cinder filter beds are constructed. Into these beds, for this year only, would be emptied the sewage from the Newton plant, as well as from the two lateral sewers running from the east and west in Rogers street. All this would be a beginning, and Mr. Morse says it would cost about $30,000 to do it. He agrees, too, with Dr. Simpson and Mr. Drury that it ought to be done right away, and, what's more, he is going to do it right away.

Along the willow-edged driveway leading from the street to the plant now occupied by the Newton Mfg. Co., there's a little brook that might purl a bit but for the burden it is made to bear. It was referred to as a ditch yesterday but it is as much a brook as some other sickly streams that are masquerading under that title. Well, anyway, into this brook or ditch, at the point nearest the Newton plant, empties a pipe that carries all the sewage from the plant. This place, in the warm weather, is going to give off some terrible odors, and the quicker conditions are remedied there the better for all concerned, and this will have to be taken care of by the filter beds. The present filter beds seem to be in fairly good shape. They are covered with cinders and there is very little sewage apparent at present.

The city engineer will now get busy on actual plans for temporary relief, and in the meantime the council will borrow the necessary money to make life safe and tolerable in that section of the Oaklands.

"AT ONCE STOPS ITS GRUMBLING"

A Lowell man, who has suffered much from the various symptoms of dyspepsia during the past six months, writes, "On the slightest evidence of stomach trouble, I now resort to Dys-pep-lets. My stomach responds to them immediately and at once stops its grumbling. I can eat almost anything now without any discomfort and you don't know how happy it makes me feel. I recommend Dys-pep-lets to my friends." All druggists at 10c, 25c or $1.00.

BOARD OF TRADE

Monthly Meeting of the Directors Held Last Evening—New Members Initiated

The regular monthly meeting of the directors of the Lowell board of trade was held last evening in the rooms of the organization in Central street, the business meeting being preceded by luncheon. A feature of the evening was the initiation of 25 members, bringing the total membership to over 1000, a record in the history of the board.

Present at the meeting were the following:

Robert F. Marden, Daniel F. Carroll, Herford N. Elliott, Clarence H. Nelson, Collins VandenBerg, Harold L. Chalifoux, Charles H. McIntire, A. D. Milliken, George Bowers, Cyrus Woodman, Harvey B. Greene, Fred F. Hayward, Daniel W. Shanahan, William F. Hills, P. O'Hearn, William H. Bolger, Charles Runels, Irving D. Kimball, W. S. Watson, Walter E. Guyette, Stanley E. Qua, Frederic A. Fisher and Secretary John H. Murphy.

At the opening of the business meeting President Robert F. Marden gave a summary of the condition of the board as follows:

Paid memberships for 1916 to date, 862; 1915 members who have not yet paid the 1916 dues 115; new members whose dues are not yet received 38; grand total 1015.

The following new members were admitted: Appleton Co., 5; Boott mills, 5; J. Howard Smith, Lucien Turcotte, Edward W. Clark, Brooks Stevens, John J. Mahoney, Dr. C. F. Harris, Alfred D. Ware, Joseph A. Cayouette, William A. Parthenais, Dr. George H. Pillsbury, J. Lawler Ford, Andrew E. Livingston, Roswell S. Fox, A. D. Mack and R. Delys.

Secretary John H. Murphy reported for the flower show, giving the financial statement, which proved satisfactory. Harvey B. Greene spoke for the city beautiful committee, and this was followed by a general discussion in reference to the new high school, President Marden stated that the advisory board will be opposed to the borrowing of any more money for the project.

TO THE HOTEL KEEPERS

SUPT. WELCH HAS THEM CALLED BEFORE LICENSE BOARD ON VARIOUS CHARGES

That Sunday conditions in at least five local hotels as observed by the liquor inspectors on a recent visit were not in accord with the law was claimed by Supt. Welch of the police department last evening when the hotel proprietors appeared before the license commission to receive a warning. The hotels referred to were the Arlington, Harrisonia, Merrimack, New American and Washington tavern.

Definite charges of violations of the liquor laws were made against the proprietors of the Belvidere and Park hotels. A hearing will be given on these cases next Tuesday night.

The hotel men were summoned before the meeting as a result of a tour of the city made by Inspectors Cooney and Holland a week ago Sunday. The liquor officers claimed that in these establishments while there was no direct violation men were being served liquor who were not in their right senses, though not intoxicated. Their observations in other hotels were described as follows:

Arlington, five out of 35 patrons showed signs of drink; American house, five out of 16; Harrisonia 10 out of 80; Merrimack house, 9 out of 52 patrons; Washington, 10 out of 65.

Supt. Welch explained that the testimony of the inspectors showed that the law was being complied with in these hotels but a little more care should be exercised as to the condition of patrons who are being served. He said that he did not call the men together to face charges but to have a conference with the commissioners.

Mr. Boulger said he could not understand how the inspectors saw so many men semi-intoxicated on Sunday when the law permits the serving of liquor only to guests. He hoped that the conditions would soon be remedied.

The Park hotel is charged with selling liquor to two men who had not purchased food and the Belvidere is accused of selling to an intoxicated person.

The following minor licenses were granted: Job wagons—Theofele Beauchemin, 807 Princeton street; Nicholas Demetrakos, 573 Market street; J. Burke & Son, by Fred Burke, 94 Lilley avenue; Adams Express Co., by Charles A. Gale, agent, 15 Arch street. Hackney coach—Joseph Urbanek, 69 Fourth street. Express—Nelson E. Richardson, East Chelmsford; John Q. Adams, 249 Walker street; Julius T. Adams, Jr., 44 Leverett street; George Ethridge, 64 Rock street; Taylor & Scott, 110 Humphrey street. Hawker and peddler—James Thomas, 95 Jefferson street; Nichk Camvoures, 551 Broadway; Theodore Savard, 472 Moody street.

The Sunday permits of Charles Laroche, 51 Branch street, and Thomas Adams, 2 Liberty street, which were cancelled as the result of their recent appearance in court on a charge of having slot machine on their premises, were reissued upon the recommendation of Supt. of Police Welch.

CHILDREN WE WORRY ABOUT

Close confinement in school during the past winter, overstudy perhaps, an attack of the grip or tonsilitis, some one of these things is doubtless responsible for the condition of the child who shows a decline in health now.

What are the symptoms? Pallor and languor, a fickle appetite, dark rings under the eyes, bronchial colds. Very often the best efforts of the family physician fail in such cases and the condition of the child causes the most intense anxiety. Cod-liver oil, so often prescribed, generally fails because the weak stomach is unable to digest fats.

Try this treatment. Before breakfast each morning give the child the juice of half an orange. After the noon meal give one of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Keep this up for a few days and then give one of the pills after the evening meal also. Weigh the child before beginning the treatment and again after two weeks. An increase in weight of from two to five pounds will show you that you are on the right track at last. Care is necessary in the diet of the patient and it will be well to send to the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y., for a diet book and the pamphlet, "Building Up the Blood." Both are free. Your own druggist sells Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

EARLY CLOSING DEFEATED

BRODERICK RESOLUTION, TO HAVE NASHUA SALOONS CEASE BUSINESS AT 10 P. M. IS TABLED

NASHUA, N. H., April 12.—The Broderick resolution, calling for the closing of the saloons at 10 instead of 11 p. m. for the next two years, was tabled indefinitely by the aldermen last night on a roll call vote, 9 to 6.

Aldermen Demontigny, Laliberte, Fletcher, Glynn, Hanscom, Wheeler, Brogan, French and Richard voted to table; Alley, Cole, Kittredge, Shea, Broderick and Ames were opposed.

Appropriations of $2500 for the Merrimack highway and $5000 for the south side highway were introduced.

A special committee recommended portable voting booths, except in wards 2 and 4, thus discontinuing the use of schoolhouses and private halls, and a readjustment of the pay of ward and election officers, now above the legal limits.

IDENTIFY LUSITANIA VICTIM

Body of Charles H. Stevens, Former Boston Business Man, Was Buried in England, His Widow Learns

BOSTON, April 12.—The body of Charles H. Stevens, a Lusitania victim, who at one time kept an antique furniture store in Devonshire street and whose widow, Mrs. Laura Stevens, lives at 22 Upland road, Cambridge, has been found and buried in England, it was learned yesterday.

Identification was made through a gold watch inscribed with his name and containing an enameled picture of his mother, the late Mrs. Melissa Stevens Sutton, widow of Gen. William Sutton.

The identity was further established through a pair of gold linked cuff buttons and a monogrammed knife. In the lining of the garments was found $70.0 in cash. Mrs. Stevens has received a [illegible] of this sum.

Mr. Stevens was 57 years old. His body was picked up more than two months ago, [illegible] off the coast of Ireland and buried under the direction of the Cunard line officials.

LOWELL TEXTILE SCHOOL

GRADUATION EXERCISES TO BE HELD TONIGHT IN THE ASSEMBLY HALL

The graduation exercises of the evening classes of the Lowell Textile school will take place this evening in the [illegible] hall of the [illegible] in Moody street, as the feature of the [illegible] [illegible] in the history of the [illegible]

[illegible] the [illegible] at 7.45 o'clock, the [illegible] will be open to inspection. No tickets are required for admission to the inspection and exercises and the public is cordially invited.

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WALL PAPER DEPT. SECOND FLOOR

ELOPED ON LUSITANIA

DIVORCE CASE SHEDS LIGHT ON TRAGEDY — LYNN WOMAN'S HUSBAND SAVED

NEWBURYPORT, April 12.—The award yesterday of a decree nisi by Judge Sisk of the Essex superior court to Mrs. Marion L. Snowden of Lynn, who sought divorce from her husband, Thomas Snowden, alleging cruel and abusive treatment, shed new light on a strange case brought to notice by the torpedoing of the Lusitania.

Mrs. Snowden testified that her husband had gone away with another woman, but did not disclose the woman's name, and, as the suit was not brought on those grounds, she was not pressed to do so. After receiving her decree, however, she said that the woman was Mrs. Eva Finch of Lynn, but that, as she was dead, she did not wish to bring the name into the case.

Nearly a year ago, she said, her husband had told her he was going away with Mrs. Finch, returning to England, from which they all had come. In view of the treatment she had received, and the fact that, as a shoe stitcher and childless, she was self-supporting, she did not make material objection. Mr. Finch, too, apparently, offered no opposition.

Snowden and Mrs. Finch sailed on the Lusitania. When the vessel was torpedoed, Snowden was rescued, but Mrs. Finch was drowned. At the time reporters noted that neither Mrs. Snowden nor Mr. Finch expressed any interest in the fate of their mates.

Mr. Snowden subsequently came back to Lynn, though in the last week or so he has apparently disappeared. Mr. Finch appears to have left the city some months ago. Mrs. Snowden is about 40 years old, her husband perhaps five years older.

AGAINST MOHR ESTATE

67 CLAIMS FILED SINCE PHYSICIAN'S MURDER—BILL OF $650 FOR DIAMOND

PROVIDENCE, April 12.—Mrs. Elizabeth F. Mohr, widow of Dr. Charles F. Mohr, who was murdered in his automobile, was a visitor to Judge Stone's court yesterday in relation to matters affecting the estate, against which 67 claims have been filed since Dr. Mohr's death.

There is pending a petition for allowance for the support of the family, this petition having been filed Oct. 7 last, and for allowing the widow the furniture, which has been inventoried as worth $6255.20. Two months ago Mrs. Mohr was allowed $12.50 per week for each of her two minor children.

Claims against the estate of the doctor are coming in steadily, the latest being for riding boots and a horse outfit from a fashionable New York firm. Mrs. Mohr was particularly interested in a claim for diamonds, one item being for a ring at $650.

JUMPS TO HIS DEATH

SECOND DROWNING ATTEMPT SUCCEEDS—PAWTUCKET MAN LEAPS FROM BRIDGE

PAWTUCKET, April 12.—A man, believed to be James H. Redmond of this city, leaped from the Exchange street bridge yesterday afternoon, about 3.30 o'clock, and was drowned. He was seen to swim about 100 yards, after which he threw up his hands and sank.

The swollen condition of the river prevented dragging for the body.

Redmond was seen near the bridge and had not appeared at home last night. His wife is satisfied the drowned man is her husband. Redmond is about 59 years old and kept a small grocery at 119 Denver street.

He made a similar attempt at the same bridge about three months ago.

PRIMARY IN ILLINOIS

RETURNS SHOW THAT SENATOR SHERMAN WILL HAVE 60 OF 58 DELEGATES

CHICAGO, April 12.—Returns today from yesterday's presidential preference primary in Illinois show that Senator L. Y. Sherman will have 56 out of the 58 delegates in the national republican convention. Two of the district delegates elected on the republican ticket have declared themselves favorable to Col. Theodore Roosevelt.

John M. Harlan, who ran for delegate-at-large [illegible] but who declared in his campaign that he favored Col. Roosevelt, was defeated by approximately 25,[illegible], according to returns compiled early today.

President Wilson's was the only name on the democratic ballot.

Women were permitted to express their preference for president, but were not allowed to vote for delegates. As a result of the limited franchise only 7755 women went to the polls in Chicago.

Senator Sherman's name was the only one given a place on the official republican ballot, but Col. Roosevelt received a total of 11,[illegible] votes written on ballots in Chicago and several others were given a few hundred votes.

Sherman's vote in Chicago was 6[illegible],523, and President Wilson's 79,[illegible].

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WATERWAYS COMMITTEE

MORE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR PROTECTIVE FENCES ALONG CANAL AND RIVER BANKS

The following letter, teeming with recommendations by the committee on waterways, has been received by the mayor:

April 11, 1916.

Hon. James E. O'Donnell, Lowell, Mass.

My Dear Mr. Mayor: The waterways committee respectfully reports that along Pawtucket street on the property belonging to the heirs of Daniel Gage and adjacent to the Merrimack river, running from the ice houses to the railroad bridge is dangerous to public travel. The committee would, therefore, recommend that the heirs of Daniel Gage be notified to properly fence this land either along the street line or the retaining wall built by the owners.

The committee would recommend that the Kitson Machine company be asked to place pickets on the fence over the canal on Dutton street a distance of about 20 feet, that the same may be made more safe to public travel.

The committee also recommends that the proprietors of the Shaw hosiery be requested to place a suitable fence with gate to be kept locked at the approach of the board walk which extends from Chelmsford street to the brick house in the swamp close to Hale's brook. This open walk affords an inviting place for children to play and is one of the bad danger spots in the city. In addition to the recent recommendation that the city at once fence Clark's court and other places, we would recommend that the city of Lowell immediately fence the end of Chestnut street which is an open and dangerous way leading into the Concord river.

We also recommend that the city build a safe and suitable fence for a distance of about one hundred feet at a point near Pawtucket falls along Varnum avenue which is now dangerous to public travel.

We recommend that the city place pickets on the bridge fence over Hale's brook on Gorham street near Butler avenue; also place pickets on both sides of the bridge over the Concord river on Lawrence street near the Lowell cemetery.

We would recommend that the city have placed on top of the capstone of the stone wall an iron fence, running from Moody street bridge to the Pawtucket street canal bridge so that children will be prevented from climbing over and falling down the precipitous slope into the canal, a spot where several children have lost their lives.

The committee would also recommend that Lincoln street bridge over Hale's brook be made more safe by placing pickets on the present inadequate rail fence.

Respectfully submitted,
Jackson Palmer,
Harry W. J. Howe,
Frank A. Warnock.

KILLED BY TRAIN

Henry Dodge Struck at Newport, Me.—Companion Had Narrow Escape—Walking on Track to Bangor

NEWPORT, Me., April 12.—Henry Dodge of Farmington, aged about 20, was instantly killed yesterday afternoon on being struck by passenger express train No. 29, eastbound, on the Maine Central from Portland to Bangor.

Dodge was walking on the tracks about a mile west of this town with a companion, whose name could not be learned, and who barely escaped a similar fate by a quick jump from in front of the train, which was running 50 miles down grade.

The body was brought to this village and placed in care of an undertaker. Letters on the body gave his name and showed he has a mother and other relatives in Farmington.

The young man was walking to Bangor with the expectation of getting a job with a log driving crew.

Chalifoux's ON THE SQUARE ESTABLISHED 1875

The Wonders of the Panama-Pacific Exposition Brought to Lowell

This Magnificent Electrical Spectacle Being Exhibited at Chalifoux's on the Square Every Day This Week

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The marvelous natural coloring of a real Golden Gate sunset [illegible] as nearly perfect as could possibly be. As daylight fades the exposition buildings are [illegible] the Tower of Jewels stands out like a huge, glittering diamond in the sky. Stars twinkle [illegible] the ears of the listeners and [illegible] the magic moment. [illegible] to and fro, their lights gleaming on the waters. Still farther [illegible] the [illegible] ment island, Alcatraz, sends its warning [illegible] across the night.

It grows late. The exposition lights fade, and the whole [illegible] in darkness. Presently come the first rays of dawn and the exposition [illegible].

It is a masterpiece, nothing else. The entire structure was [illegible] exposition grounds [illegible] the personal direction of Edwin J. Austin, the genius who [illegible] exposition—and all the glorious combinations of color [illegible].

This exhibition is open to the public without charge. It is being [illegible] on our Fourth Floor and special temporary arrangements have been made for the seating of [illegible] guests. If you come after the commencement of one lecture, be sure to stay for the next. Above everything, don't miss the sunset scene.

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KILL TABERNACLE BILL

SENATE REFUSES, 18 TO 20, TO PERMIT WOODEN STRUCTURE FOR BILLY SUNDAY CAMPAIGN

BOSTON, April 12.—The Massachusetts senate yesterday extended a welcome to Billy Sunday to come to Boston and comply with the law.

Although practically every member who spoke on the subject expressed his gratification at the approaching visit of the evangelist to the Hub, 20 senators voted against allowing the erection of a wooden tabernacle in which to hold the Sunday meetings, and only 18 voted in favor of a bill which would allow him exemption from the building laws of the city.

Senator Bates of Dorchester, chairman of the committee on metropolitan affairs, led the fight against the bill, which was passed in the house last week by a wide margin. He warned the senate against breaking down the building laws to allow the erection of a wooden building, heated with stoves and containing quantities of sawdust on the floor. The petitioners for the legislation have already prepared two sets of plans, he said, and it will cost but $5000 or $6000 more to have the building in conformity with the law. The petitioners were criticized for not having gone to the board of appeal and exhausting every effort before they appealed to the legislature to let down the bars.

Senator Cavanagh of Everett was the principal speaker in favor of the bill. He said the structure is not to be a permanent one, and the danger from fire had been greatly overestimated by the opponents of the bill.

Senator Timlity, representing the people of Roxbury, said they are afraid of fires, and that the danger from the tabernacle would be great.

Senator Beck of Chelsea said he would prefer to take a chance in a wooden building than one with brick walls.

The senate divided on the question of ordering the bill to a third reading as follows:

In favor—Senators Beal, Bean, Beck, Cavanagh, Clark, Eldridge, Fay, Gifford, Gordon, Haigis, Jackson, Kimball, Langelier, Marchand, Martin, Perley, Tetler, Tufts—18.

Opposed—Senators Bartlett, Bates, Bazeley, Brown, Chapman, Cummings, Ellis, Farnsworth, Green, Hays, Hobbs, Hull, Knowles, Mason, McGonagle, McLane, McLaughlin, Parker, Sheehan, Timility—20.

Senator Bates tried to get an amendment on Mayor Curley's bill for new highways which would provide that 60 per cent of the proposed 60 cent increase in the tax limit should be used for highway improvements in Dorchester, Hyde Park and Brighton. His amendment was defeated and the bill ordered to a third reading on a voice vote.

The senate defeated the amendment of Senator Hobbs to the liquor transportation bill, by which each city or town might decide whether or not to allow dealers to ship liquor into no-license territory, and ordered the bill to a third reading by a rising vote, 18 to 12. The Hobbs amendment was killed, 12 to 20.

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

British Columbia has women factory inspectors.

There are suffrage leagues in every part of Canada.

Miss Belleville Maidenhead makes $2500 a year selling time to the London watchmakers.

Mrs. Harriet Reynolds has a goose ranch in California, from which she earns $2500 a year.

Miss Marion Mitchell of Philadelphia has been chosen as one of the prettiest girls at Wellesley college.

Chinese students at Oberlin college will shortly stage a play written by Miss Yuet Ha Fang, a native of Hong Kong.

ROBERT FROST READS

NEW AMERICAN POET MAKES FRIENDS AT MIDDLESEX WOMEN'S CLUB BY QUAINT MANNER

Robert Frost, poet of the unconventional, and regarded in England as the most promising American poet of the present time came to Lowell yesterday afternoon and took the members of the Middlesex Women's club on an imaginary trip to the mountains of New Hampshire. During the trip they saw many snatches of typical New Hampshire scenery and met quaint farm types, but their greatest pleasure was in the sly monologue of Robert Frost who with drawling nonchalance kept up a stream of witty remarks for an hour or so.

Robert Frost is a pleasing ordinary looking person who has not yet lost his boyish characteristics. In repose his face is serious and even when he is having fun with his audience he looks solemn. This makes his rare smile all the more effective and when he does smile there is a wise archness in it that gives him an unusual power to please. He is unaffected to the point of affectation and gives the impression of the utmost honesty and sincerity. Whenever he catches himself growing sentimental or romantic he pulls himself up short and pokes fun at his poetry, at himself and at everybody else. Those who regard him as a great and original poet must find it in his poems. He tries his best to convey the impression that he is just an enthusiastic farmer of New Hampshire who writes of common things in a simple way.

Most of the poems read by the poet were from his book, "North of Boston" which is full of impressions of New Hampshire farm life. For the most part they were humorous, but where there was tragedy it was poignant and searching. The opening poem was the "Hired Man's Code." This was followed by "Brown's Descent," which he described as "somewhere near the truth—as I tell it." The poem relates how Brown slipped on the crest of his hill one night when the snow was frozen over and slided down over field and hedge one mile, holding on to his lantern the while and describing wonderful figures en route.

"Some critical persons have said that "North of Boston" is too blue. Mr. Frost found out why; it is because of the poem "Blueberries." This is the poet at his best. One hearing it could not but long for the days when the berry pastures around Lowell will be as full of fruit as the pastures of New Hampshire valleys. Then he read a little cynical poem about Christmas trees in which the tragedy of their cutting was caught effectively, and afterwards a poem on war and peace which related how to New Hampshire neighbors kept building up their fences yearly, one of them mumbling the while "Good fences make good neighbors."

In closing, Robert Frost described his theory of writing-after expressing his dislike for the word 'theory.' Once somebody tried to sell him a farm with a gold mine on it. He did not buy, not caring for "New Hampshire gold" or things that most poets care about. People think certain things poetical, the moon, running brooks, flowers, love and murder for instance. To him they are like "the common tin drinking cup in a railroad station." He selects a fresh, common subject that has not been "mouthed over," gives it its way in his mind and writes what comes. He says that almost anybody can do it. One thing is sure; Robert Frost can do it and he has done it so as to secure a high place in contemporaneous English literature.

SHOT WIFE, THEN HIMSELF

BRIDGEPORT MAN LEFT NOTE ACCUSING NEW HAVEN LAWYER OF BREAKING UP HIS HOME

BRIDGEPORT, April 12.—Leaving one note accusing Dwight W. Tuttle, a prominent New Haven lawyer, with breaking up his home, and another telling his wife that she had gone the limit and that he was going to commit suicide the same as her first husband, Louis H. Wolter yesterday afternoon shot his wife twice and then fired a bullet into his own brain.

He is in St. Vincent's hospital with no chance of recovery. One bullet lodged in his wife's thigh and another in the leg just above the knee. She will recover.

Mrs. Wolter is reputed to be wealthy. The first the police knew of the shooting was when the woman was found fainting in her automobile, which stood outside her apartments at 80 Cannon street. The couple had been separated for some time.

"I've got you now," Mrs. Wolter said her husband shouted when she entered her apartments at 5.30 yesterday afternoon. He then fired two shots and then ran down the stairs and jumped into her automobile.

Mrs. Wolter's former husband committed suicide by inhaling illuminating gas during her absence.

RIVERS AND HARBORS

BILL PASSED SENATE—FOUR MASS. MEN VOTE FOR MEASURE—TREADWAY AMENDMENT

WASHINGTON, April 12.—First defeating an amendment by Representative Treadway, to recommit the measure with instruction for the committee to cut the appropriation in halves, the house yesterday passed the rivers and harbors bill, carrying approximately $40,000,000.

The vote against the amendment was 149 to 200, and the vote for the measure was 210 to 133, with 10 voting "present."

The Massachusetts items in the measure are: Newburyport, $20,000; Boston harbor, $100,000; Nantucket, $10,000; Pollock Rip channel, $150,000; Merrimack river, $10,000; Weymouth Fore River, $15,000.

Examinations and surveys were ordered as follows: Island End river, Buzzards Bay, upper end, for additional anchorage area and improvement to approach of Cape Cod canal.

The Massachusetts men who voted for the measure were Representatives Greene, Olney, Phelan and Roberts.

Those opposed were Representatives Carter, Dallinger, Gardner, Gillett, Paige, Rogers, Tinkham, Treadway, Tague, Walsh and Winslow.

SENATE PASSES SUGAR BILL

Substitute For House Measure Extends Duty of One Cent a Pound Until May, 1920

WASHINGTON, April 12.—The senate late today passed its substitute for the House Free Sugar Repeal resolution extending the present duty of one cent a pound on sugar until May, 1920. The vote was 40 to 32.

Anticipating that the house would insist upon its resolutions, Senators Simmons, Stone and Lodge were named as the senators conferees.

Unless a conference agreement is reached and approved before May 1 sugar will go on the free list.

Senator Weeks attacked the democratic tariff, declaring it was not a good revenue producer. He argued at length against the contention that the European war was responsible for the great falling off in customs receipts.

ARSON TRUST IN BOSTON

DETECTIVES WATCHING SUSPECTED RINGLEADER — INSURANCE COMPANIES DEFRAUDED

BOSTON, April 12.—District Attorney Pelletier, it was learned yesterday, puts much hope in connection with his crusade against the "arson trust" in a book containing names of arson jobs, and amounts paid for setting fires, found in a house which a man was seen to leave just before a fire started in the building. It is said that the trust has defrauded insurance companies of more than $63,000.

The suspected owner, who was before the grand jury yesterday, denied that the book ever belonged to him. Handwriting experts have satisfied the district attorney that the writing in the book and that of a certain man are so similar in every respect that the movements of that man are being closely watched.

The book in question furnishes information about five fires of doubtful origin, and in one instance the owner of one of the houses was paid $4700 by an insurance company.

It would seem from what the district attorney has already learned that there is a gang of incendiaries in Boston whose services may be secured on payment of from $100 to $500 each. Their work has been done so skilfully that it has been difficult to obtain evidence necessary to secure a conviction, and unless satisfactory proof is obtained the grand jury will not be asked to indict on mere suspicion, no matter how strong such suspicions may be.

There were 50 witnesses before the grand jury yesterday, and several days more will be required to finish the hearings.

STREET CAR SERVICE

WORK ON CHELMSFORD STREET BRIDGE WILL INTERRUPT TRAFFIC—NEW ARRANGEMENT

Owing to construction work commencing on the Chelmsford street bridge tomorrow, all electric car traffic over the bridge will be discontinued for a brief space of time. Westford street and Chelmsford street and Chelmsford Centre lines will be affected to a considerable extent, but Supt. Farrington believes that the bridge will be sufficiently well constructed in about two weeks' time to allow the cars to resume their regular running schedules. Supt. Farrington states that he has been assured by the engineer in charge of the construction work that the job will be rushed with all possible haste to a point where it will be safe to allow cars to run over the bridge.

The Chelmsford street and Centre cars will terminate their runs at the bridge. Their leaving time from this point will be seven minutes later than from Merrimack square.

Extra cars will operate between Merrimack square and the bridge, through Appleton street.

The regular Westford st. cars will run through Middlesex street, Branch street and Coral street, operating on the regular schedule. On Westford street, between Coral street and the junction of Coral and Westford, an extra car will be operated.

TO LIFT EMBARGOES

WILL BE OFF SATURDAY—SHIPPERS URGED TO USE MODERATION

NEW YORK, April 12.—Embargoes, except as to export freight, all will be virtually lifted on the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad at midnight Friday, it was announced here last night. Embargoes on connecting lines will be modified as nearly as possible to conform with this action.

Interstate Commerce Commissioner Clark, who has been participating in the eastern freight accumulation conference, issued a statement in which he declared that, if shippers and receivers of freight desire to escape further embargoes on the New Haven line, they must arrange shipments in moderation and utilize all cars to the fullest carrying capacity.

The New Haven embargoes remaining in force are against several cities including Waterbury, Bristol, New Britain and Hartford, as well as against cotton consigned to Fall River and Watuppa, Mass., and a few individual concerns which have an accumulation of freight on hand beyond their present ability to unload.

Bituminous and anthracite coal, lumber and cement will be limited to one-third the average daily receipts from connecting lines during April last year.

GET TOGETHER CLUB

Mr. A. G. Walsh addressed the members of the Get Together club at the Y.M.C.A. last evening on "Stocks and Bonds," at the fifth of a series of thrift talks being conducted by the association.

Mr. Walsh outlined the origin and growth of the large corporations of this country, showing why it was necessary for any industry to have the interest and support of a large number of people rather than be controlled by a few. He particularly mentioned the beginning of the Bell Telephone company, recalling the first meeting held for that purpose in old Huntington hall many years ago, which he attended. From a very small beginning, the speaker showed how the company has grown with rapid strides to its present capitalization of many millions of dollars.

114,835 VOTERS IN BOSTON

BOSTON, April 12.—The additional registrations for the presidential primaries on April 25 ended at 10 o'clock last night and 389 new names had been added. With those on the lists by registration for the city election in December, the grand total is 114,835.

The total number will remain about the same as in December, for the voters dying since the city election usually average about the same number as the new names.

MAINE M. E. CONFERENCE

RUMFORD, Me., Aprin 12.—Preceded by a devotional service, the 92nd annual session of the Maine Methodist Episcopal conference was opened today in the Franklin Street church. The conference, which will continue until Sunday night or Monday morning, is in charge of Bishop R. J. Cooke of Portland, Oregon.

Two matters of particular interest at this session will be the election of ministerial and lay delegates to the general conference at Saratoga next month, and the conference lectures by Rev. C. L. Goodell of St. Paul's church, New York city.

THE CAUSE OF ANAEMIA

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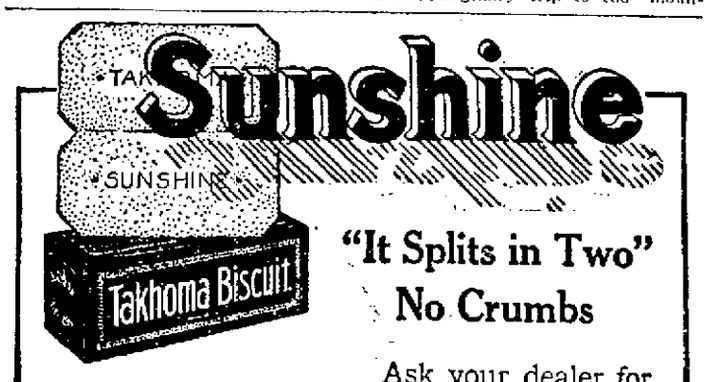

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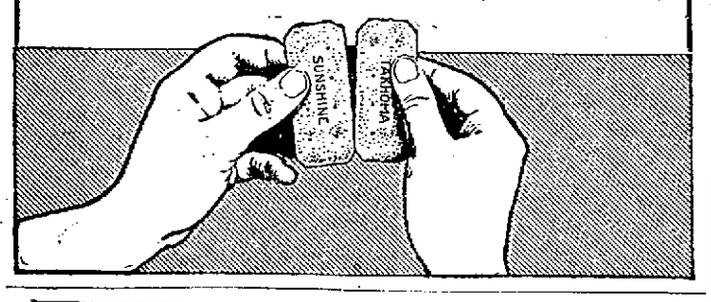

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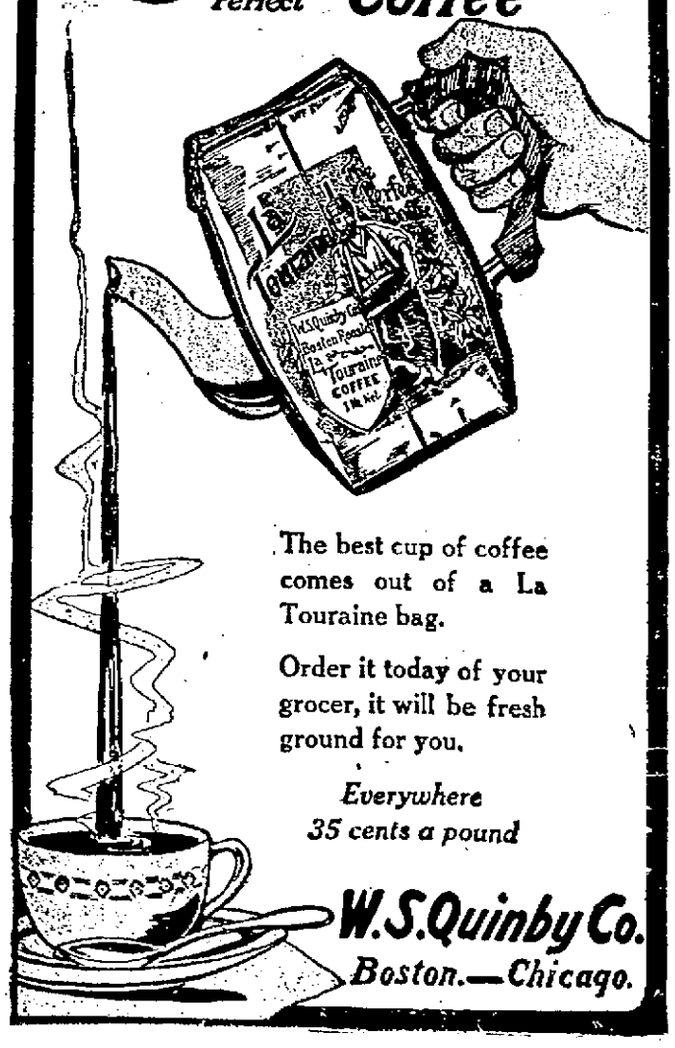

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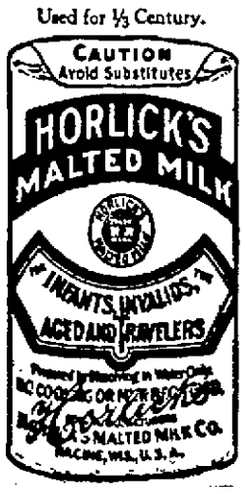

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AUTOMOBILE QUESTION BOX

NOTE—In these columns every Wednesday we will give expert advice to motorists on how to repair and operate their machines. Automobile readers of THE SUN are invited to send in questions or problems they may wish to have answered. Such questions will receive attention in due time. Address all communications: Automobile Editor, Sun, Lowell Mass. Communications must bear the signature and address of the sender, though not for publication but as a guarantee of good faith.

Will you please give me some information regarding "spring" starters of the coil spring type for Ford cars? Are they durable and satisfactory? Do you know anything about a starter of this kind manufactured by the Frost Manufacturing company of Galesburg, Ill., successors to the Automatic Device company of the same place? M. E.

Ans.—There are a number of spring starters which work very satisfactorily on small cars. It is not possible to discriminate as to which particular make is best. The dealer from whom you purchased your car should be in a position to advise the best type to use.

I have a 1911 Ford touring car and it uses one gallon of cylinder oil every thirty-five or forty miles. I can see oil does not leak out, but I can hardly keep any oil in case. What would cause this? Any information will be greatly appreciated. F. M.

Ans.—Perhaps too much oil is working past pistons and into the combustion chamber. A set of new rings would overcome this trouble. If there are no leaks of any kind the oil must be burning. Too much oil is not only wasteful, but fouls the engine. Excessive carbonization of the cylinders is caused by too much oil.

I have a single cylinder motorcycle with a Schebler carburetor. When I

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AUTOMOBILE NEWS

WITH LOCAL DEALERS

WHAT AUTO MEN ARE DOING—MANY SALES AND PROSPECTS REPORTED

The Boston Auto Supply Company, Bridge street, calls attention to the many advantages for Ford owners having an extra demountable rim on their cars. It adds comfort by permitting tires of uniform size to be used on all four wheels; by doing away with tire pumping through an additional rim with tire already inflated and ready to slip on, and furthermore, it adds a feeling of security which is invaluable. Up to date the Boston Auto Supply Co. has equipped a large number of Ford cars with these rims. In speaking of this firm, the writer is reminded of the new Goodrich tire sign which has been put on the window of this shop. It is very attractive and cannot but draw the attention of the passerby; also the delivery car which is now in use by this company for the accommodation of its patrons.

Mr. Rochette of the Lowell Motor Mart is well pleased with his success in securing Ford cars and being able to fill orders promptly. To be able to do so was far more than he expected. It is difficult to state just how long this fortunate situation will continue. Those who are very anxious for quick deliveries will play safe by entering their orders now.

C. W. Johnson and Sons are having enviable success with the Pullman motor car for which they are agents. It is their experience that this is a car with quick sales and that there is no long series of arguments and demonstrations before the prospective buyer can make up his mind that it is a Pullman that he wants.

The bad weather Sunday necessarily altered the plans of George Morrison, the local agent for the attractive Auburn car, but it did not lose any sales for him. It would take more water than was sent from the heavens Sunday to dampen the interest his patrons have in the Auburn.

Arthur Bachelder of the Bachelder shop has a pleasing variety of high grade bicycles which he carries in stock. Here one has a wide choice of different makes of bikes. There are the Racycle, Iver Johnson, Crown and Merkel, each of which is a standard make and can be relied upon to give satisfaction. The prices of these "wheels" are so moderate that they are within the reach of all.

Harry Pitts of Pitts' Auto Supply heartily concurs with Superintendent of Police Redmond Welch who yesterday uttered a warning to automobile owners whose habit it is to leave their car unattended with spare tires insecurely fastened to their cars. Pitts has believed in this kind of preparedness for a long time and has on hand just the kind of a safety-from-thieves device which the chief recommends. Of late the frequency of these larcenies of tires has grown by great leaps and bounds until now one is taking great chances when one leaves his car with his spare tires insecurely fastened. The cost of these necessary chains is so slight that one has no reasonable excuse for being without them. The chains, which can be obtained at a small cost at Pitts' Auto Supply, can be used for many other purposes than that of securing tires and they really ought to be on every car. Harry says: "Don't lock the stable after the horse has been stolen."

The L. A. Derby company is local service station for the well known Willard storage batteries. Inspection of these batteries or information will be gladly given by the Middle street concern.

The Overland Plant

Mr. Feindel, local agent for the Overland automobile, was a recent guest at the Overland factory, Toledo, Ohio. During his extended stay he saw many things of interest and knowledge. In speaking to the writer this morning about his trip, Mr. Feindel said in part:

"This was my first visit to the Overland plant. Although photos of it and advertising containing descriptions and figures of it had given me sort sort of an idea of its size, I was totally unprepared for the immensity of its operations.

"Imagine a plant taking up four and a half million square feet of floor space, employing over 16,000 people, and with production facilities of a thousand cars per day, the output of which is so popular that even with the factory's capability of turning out a car every 90 seconds during the day, is far behind its orders, and you have some idea of what I saw during my interesting visit.

"The story of the growth of the Willys-Overland company reads like a page from 'Arabian Nights.' Taking over the plant of the Pope Motor Car company in 1908, in eight years Mr. John N. Willys, head of the industry, has raised the Overland to the biggest single automobile manufactory in the world.

"When he first took hold of the Pope establishment his output was 100 cars for the first year. Each day now finds his factory turning out more than twice that number of cars.

"One hundred and twenty-five thousand of the 1916 models, first placed on the market last July, have already been marketed, making it a comparatively easy matter for the Willys-Overland company to keep its promise, that it would manufacture 200,000 cars from July, 1915, to July, 1916.

"Besides visiting the home of the Overland and the Willys-Knight cars, I also inspected the plants of the Electric Auto-Lite and the Tillotson Manufacturing companies—the latter being makers of carburetors. An elaborate program of business and pleasure greeted the New Englanders during their stay in Toledo."

Many Cars Are "Dead"

During the past few years many new makes of cars have come into existence, but, just as among men, so among cars, each has a period of life and then passes away. Since 1909 many cars are now defunct.

Here are some of the cars in question that perhaps the average motorist of today does not remember, although some of them were popular in their time: American, Cameron, Mora, Grout, Midland, Royal Tourist, Matheson, McIntyre, Mason, Anhut, Demot, Chadwick, Badger, Petrol, Elmore F. A. L. Selden, Rider-Lewis and Corbin.

HELPFUL HINTS

A bag made of soft flannel is best in which to keep inner tubes. The mouth of the bag should be tied around the projecting valve.

While putting on nuts and bolts it is an excellent preventive of rust to rub on them a little graphite. When this is done, you have taken out an insurance policy against sticking nuts.

Where rubber hose is used to make connections in the water circulation pipes with a gasoline motor, and has bends in it, a good plan is to reinforce it by a brass coil spring, which is a good fit inside. This prevents any flattening at the bend and cracking, resulting eventually in a leak.

It is not advisable to use ordinary paint on cylinder casting. A thick coat of paint will prevent radiation. A paint suitable for this use may be obtained at most automobile supply stores.

Care should be exercised in the proper lubrication of ball bearings. Often too heavy or solid lubricant is used. Fluid oil no thinner than the heavier machine oils is very good.

SACRED HEART MISSION

REV. PATRICK PHELAN, O.M.I., CLOSED WOMEN'S RETREAT THIS MORNING

The women's retreat at the Sacred Heart church was brought to a close this morning. Papal benediction was given after the masses at 5, 7 and 8, and the instruction was on the Catholic doctrine of "Purgatory." Rev. Patrick Phelan, O.M.I., who conducted the mission complimented the women of the parish on their zealous attendance and asked them to use their influence with the men so that the mission of the coming three days would have a like degree of success.

The sermon last evening was preached by Rev. Fr. Phelan who spoke on "Perseverance," which can be secured by prayer, frequent confession and communion, attendance at mass, avoidance of the occasions of sin and devotion to the Blessed Virgin. The chief value of the mission, said the reverend preacher, does not consist in the devotions of the week, but in the influence that it will leave on the future lives of those who attend.

The mission for the men of the Sacred Heart parish will open this evening at 7.30 and will be brought to a close next Sunday. The morning masses will be at 5, 7 and 8 o'clock. It will also be conducted by Rev. Fr. Phelan.

AN ENJOYABLE BANQUET

Yesterday was the third anniversary of Fairburn's New Market in its present location in Merrimack square and the occasion was most fittingly observed and celebrated by the management which tendered to the clerks a delightful banquet consisting of ten courses. The banquet took place in the store and plates were set for twenty-five. After the inner man had been satisfied and the clatter of knives and forks had ceased speeches were in order. Among those to respond was G. Clarence Fairburn, manager of the market who reviewed briefly the history of the firm which was established twenty-four years ago, dwelling on its success and laying special emphasis on the necessity of the co-operation of the clerking force as a lever to success. He also pointed out that prices alone were not sufficient but proper prices must be combined with quality of goods and service. Mr. Morgan, local manager of the Loose-Wiles Biscuit company was a guest at the banquet and he spoke interestingly along the same lines as did Mr. Fairburn. Others who spoke were Miss Katharine O'Connell, head bookkeeper, and the following heads of the various departments of the market: Messrs. Johnson, Gendron, Swanson and Harrington, each of whom voiced his ideas on what should be done in keeping his department in the lead.

At the close of the evening so pleasantly spent the clerks extended a vote of thanks to the management for arranging the pleasant entertainment which continued until a late hour.

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It should be bought with an eye to the far future, rather than the rosy present. We should dwell upon unwelcome possibilities, as well as immediate pleasant prospects.

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We should listen to the voice of reputation rather than the engaging eloquence of the salesman.

We should retire within ourselves, and inquire:—

What do I know about this car; and especially, what do I know of the company that builds it?

And then:

Is there another car of which I know more—built by a company of higher and wider repute?

You should be able to recall such a car instantly—a car of which all men think well, and none speak ill.

The moment your mind has gripped that thought—that there IS a car which stands out above all others—then salesmanship has no power to impress you. You find yourself listening to yourself—and deaf to all else.

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20 YEARS SENTENCE

THREE MEN CONVICTED OF ASSAULT ON DEPUTY SHERIFFS AT PROVIDENCE

PROVIDENCE, R. I., April 12.—Thomas J. Allen, Edward H. Mason and George A. Maher were sentenced to state prison for 20 years by Judge Rathbun in the superior court today, for assault on Deputy Sheriffs Nathan Colvin and R. Ralph Tillinghast, at the time of the escape of 15 prisoners from a van which was on its way to the state institution several weeks ago.

Wilfred Charpentier and Joseph Leonard were sentenced to 17 years and Alfred Polion was given five years for the same offense.

HARVARD COMMENCEMENT

Exercises Will Be Held in Stadium Instead of in Saunders Theatre—Larger Building Necessary

CAMBRIDGE, April 12.—Commencement exercises at Harvard university this year will be held in the Stadium instead of in Saunders theatre, it was announced today. The change is the result of a vote taken by the board of overseers which considered the situation growing out of the limited capacity of the theatre.

The John E. Hudson professorship in archaeology was instituted by the overseers with the appointment of George H. Chase, curator of the museum of the classical antiquities, as the first holder.

BIG CHECKER TOURNAMENT

The Bay State Checker club will hold a big checker tournament on Wednesday, April 19, at Wells Memorial hall, 987 Washington street, Boston. A number of Boston checker experts have entered in the tournament and will be led by Col. F. L. Irish of Brockton, one of the strongest players in Massachusetts, and at one time champion of the state of Maine. Preparations have been made to have 200 boards, so that all players, irrespective of their playing ability, will have a chance to contest with a player of equal strength. Teams from Lynn, Lawrence, Maynard, Norwood, Hyde Park, Dorchester and other cities are expected to take part in the playing. Applications for entering any of the events can be obtained by writing to the secretary at Wells Memorial hall.

RAILROAD SUSPENDED SERVICE

Lack of Coal Responsible for Spanish Railroad Order to Abandon Service

MADRID, Spain, April 12, via Paris.—The Southern railway, which serves a large section of southern Spain, has notified the government that it has been compelled to suspend service on account of lack of coal.

DEATHS

PAIGE—The death at Newport, Me., is reported of Mrs. Marcia Francis Paige, formerly of this city and widow of the late Victor Paige. She is survived by three brothers, Charles T. Eaton, Winter Hill; Edmund Eaton, Newmarket, N. H.; Freeman Eaton, Dover, N. H.; and two daughters, Belle Babler, Newport, Me.; Abbie Hanson, Alton, N. H.

BOYNTON—James M. Boynton died yesterday at St. John's hospital, aged 68 years. He leaves three brothers, Captain Henry Boynton of Engine 2, Lowell fire department, Fred of the West Sixth street house, and Charles of Templeton, Mass.; and one sister, Mrs. Abbie Vassette. He lived at 118 Smith street. The body was taken to the rooms of Undertakers Simmons & Brown.

BARRETT—Mrs. Julia (Foye) Barrett, wife of William M. Barrett, died yesterday at her home, 16 West Bowers street, aged 23 years. Besides her husband, she leaves four sons and three daughters, and six brothers, James, John J., Daniel E., Peter H., Charles E., and Frank W. Foye, and four sisters, Margaret A. Foye, Mrs. James Hanshury, Mrs. John J. Ryan and Mrs. Frank McCarthy.

SMALL—John Small, for the past 25 years connected with the Central street store of Cook, Taylor & Co. and a well known resident of this city, died this morning at his home, 88 Royal street, after a short illness. Mr. Small's genial ways won for him many friends and he was recognized throughout New England as one of the best ladies' cloak and suit men in this vicinity.

Mr. Small had been enjoying good health up to the week before last when while in New York making purchases for the store, he contracted a cold which gradually grew worse. Last Thursday he had to give up active work and take to his bed. Pneumonia developed and rapidly overcame him, the end coming this morning.

The deceased was 50 years of age and leaves beside his wife, Nellie, one brother and a sister.

HANSON—Hattie B. Hanson, formerly of Lowell, died at the home of her sister, Mrs. Mearle Corson, in Madison, Me., April 8. She is survived by one brother, John of Portland, Me.; three sisters, Mrs. E. Miller of Lowell, Mrs. William Clarke of Spring Hill, Nova Scotia, and Mrs. Mearle Corson of Madison, Me.

RICHARDSON—Mrs. Mary Richardson, a well known resident of this city and formerly of Drucut Navy Yard, died early this morning at her home, 742 Lawrence street, after a brief illness, aged 54 years. She leaves to mourn her loss her husband, Henry E., one son, Thomas H., three daughters, Caroline A., Mary A., and Elizabeth M. Richardson, all of this city, and two brothers, John of Chelsea and Patrick McManus of London; one sister, Caroline McManus in Ireland.

DUCHESNE—William, aged 1 month and 16 days, died last night at the home of the parents, Hypolite and Melvina Duchesne, 503 Moody street. Burial took place this afternoon at 3 o'clock in St. Joseph's cemetery under the direction of Undertakers Joseph Albert & Son.

LACHARITE—Thomas, aged 1 year, 4 months and 8 days, died last night at the home of the parents, Charles and Aurelie Lacharite. Burial took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock in St. Joseph's cemetery under the direction of Undertakers Amedee Archambault & Son.

FUNERAL NOTICES

BARRETT—The funeral of the late Mrs. Julia (Foye) Barrett will take place Friday morning at 8 o'clock from her home, 16 West Bowers street. A mass of requiem will be sung at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

BOYNTON—Died in this city, April 11, at St. John's hospital, Mr. James M. Boynton, aged 68 years. Funeral services will be held from the chapel of Undertakers Simmons & Brown, 96 Branch street, on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends are invited. Burial private. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Simmons & Brown.

GOODROW—The funeral of the late Noel Goodrow will take place Thursday morning at 9 o'clock from his home, 184 Cumberland road. A mass of requiem will be sung at St. Louis church at 10 o'clock. Burial in St. Joseph's cemetery, in charge of James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

HOLDEN—The funeral of the late William H. Holden, will take place Thursday morning at 9 o'clock from his home, 219 Salem street. At 10 o'clock a solemn high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Patrick's church by Rev. Wm. Dacey, of the Holy Cross cathedral, Boston, brother-in-law of deceased. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

MERRILL—Died in this city, April 10, at her home, 17 Wachusett street, Mrs. Lilla Z. Merrill, aged 46 years, 11 months. Prayers at her home, 17 Wachusett street, Thursday afternoon at 1.30 o'clock. Funeral services from the Fifth Street Baptist church at 2 o'clock. Friends invited to attend. Burial private. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers Young & Blake.

TYRELL—The funeral of the late William B. Tyrell will take place on Thursday morning at 8 o'clock from the funeral parlors of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons. High mass of requiem will be sung at St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery, Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

SMALL—Died in this city, April 12, at his home, 88 Royal street, John Small, aged 50 years. Funeral services will be held from his home, 88 Royal street Friday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Friends invited to attend. Burial private. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers Young and Blake.

QUINLAN—The funeral of John P. Quinlan will take place on Thursday morning at 8 oclock from the home of his brother, William H. Quinlan, 24 Stanley street. High mass of requiem will be celebrated at the Immaculate Conception church at 9 o'clock. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery. Funeral in charge of Undertakers Higgins Bros.

RICHARDSON—The funeral of Mrs. Mary Richardson will take place Friday, morning from her home, 742 Lawrence street, at 8 o'clock. At the Sacred Heart church a funeral high mass of requiem will be celebrated at 9 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers O'Connell & Mack in charge of funeral arrangements.

FUNERALS

CURRAN—The funeral services of Arthur C. Curran, instructor on the Bay State street railway, were held at his home, 179 School street, yesterday afternoon, and were largely attended by relatives and friends, who were associated with him on the railroad. The services were conducted by Rev. Ernest R. Trites, pastor of the Chelmsford St. Baptist church. Misses Adah Thomas and Ina Beardsley sang "The Christian's Goodnight" and "Sometime We'll Understand." The following delegates represented the Bay State street railway: George Fellows, Edwin Lussier, Frank Roarke and William Wright. There were many floral offerings, as follows: Pillow of white roses inscribed "Father," the family; wreath on base, Division 280, street railway employes; star and crescent, brothers and sisters, cross on base, finishing department, Lowell hosiery; basket of roses and lilies, clerical force and Paul Doherty of the A. G. Pollard Co., and tributes from Boyle family, instruction department of the Bay State street railway, Division 261 of Lawrence street railway, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Barnard and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Edgelow, Loretta Labarge, Mr. and Mrs. Craig Johnson and Mrs. Dahlgren, Mr. and Mrs. Bass, Mr. and Mrs. John Harrington, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew McDonald, Hyacinth club, Mr. and Mrs. Sheehee, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Donard and family, Mr. and Mrs. William Mitchel, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bancroft and Maude Webster, Mrs. Daisy Williams, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cogger, Mr. and Mrs. R. Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. C. Curran and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Sargent, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lees and Master Lees, Mr. and Mrs. Sproule and family, Margaret Seeton's class of the Pawtucket Sunday school, Mr. and Mrs. C. Barton and daughters, Ira Boothby, Mrs. F. G. Collins, Mr. and Mrs. H. Bent, Haverhill division of the Bay State street railway. The bearers were all employes of the Bay State Co. and friends of the deceased, Messrs. Andrew Evans, Amos Sanborn, Edward Welch, William Mitchell, Frank Bancroft and Fred Huff. Burial was in the family lot in the Westlawn cemetery, where the committal service was read by Rev. Mr. Trites. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers Simmons & Brown.

McLAUGHLIN—The funeral of Alexander McLaughlin was held yesterday afternoon from the rooms of Undertaker Peter H. Savage. Among the floral offerings were a pillow from the family, and a spray from John McLaughlin. The bearers were Messrs. John and Charles Watson, Michael Brady and William Mulholland. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, where Rev. Timothy J. Callahan of St. Patrick's church recited the committal prayers.

JOHNSON—The funeral of Mrs. Lillian E. Johnson was held from her home in the Groton road in Westford yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Nathaniel W. Matthews, pastor of the First Primitive Methodist church. Appropriate selections were sung, by the Mendelssohn male quartet. The bearers were Messrs. Graham Whidden, Frederic Snow, David Billson and Willard Fletcher. Burial was in the family lot in the cemetery at West Chelmsford. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

CROWELL—The funeral services of Mrs. Lucy A. Crowell took place at her home in Wright street, North Chelmsford yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Franklin H. Reeves, pastor of the Congregational church at North Chelmsford, and Rev. Chester Underhill of Weymouth. The bearers were Messrs. Harry Crowell, Walter B. Pierce, Daniel Floyd and H. C. Crowell. Burial was in the family lot in Corner cemetery, Billerica, where the burial service was read by Rev. Mr. Reeves. The funeral was under the direction of Undertakers Young & Blake.

COLE—The funeral of Mrs Delia Cole took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from the home of her nephew, William Brown, 4 Fifth street. A funeral high mass was celebrated at 9 o'clock in the Immaculate Conception church by Rev. Fr. Stanton, O.M.I. The burial was in Westlawn cemetery. The bearers were Messrs. E. Lettrell, Russell Fox, Michael O'Hagan and Henry Alexander. There were many floral tributes placed on the grave. The funeral was in charge of Undertaker Charles H. Molloy.

GILLIS—The funeral of Mrs. Flora Gillis took place this morning at 9 o'clock from the home of her sister, Mrs. Thomas McAfee, 365 Concord st. and wended its way to the Immaculate Conception church, where at 9.45 a high mass of requiem was celebrated by the Rev. Owen P. McQuaid, O.M.I. Although it was the request of the family not to send flowers, there were several beautiful floral tributes laid upon the grave and among them were the following: Large standing wreath on base from the shoppmates of the Massachusetts cloth room, and spiritual bouquets from Thomas McAfee, Mrs. B. Teague, Mrs. Mary McAfee, Miss Nora Teague, Mrs. J. Teague, Miss Margaret Hammersly, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cassidy, Mrs. Martin Crowe, Mr. John Haggerty, Catlin family, John McAfee and several others.

The casket was borne by the following bearers: Messrs. Bernard Teague, James Teague, Martin Crowe and James Catlin. The burial took place in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read at the grave by the Rev. Owen P. McQuaid, O.M.I. The funeral was in charge of Undertakers Higgins Bros.

SHEA—The funeral of Catherine Shea took place this morning from her home, 232 Adams street, at 8.15 o'clock and was largely attended. At St. Patrick's church a high mass of requiem was celebrated at 9 o'clock by Rev. Timothy P. Callahan. Among the floral tributes were: Pillow inscribed "Mother" from the family, and tributes from Mr. and Mrs. McCarthy and family, Etna Campers, Mr. and Mrs. John Gilligan, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Mealey. The bearers were Patrick Harrington, Patrick McCarthy, John Shea, Patrick Sullivan, John Sullivan and Jeremiah O'Neil. Interment was in St. Patrick's cemetery. Rev. Timothy P. Callahan reading the committal prayers. Undertaker Peter H. Savage was in charge of funeral arrangements.

WHIDDEN—The funeral of Clarence W. Whidden, one of the best known banking men of this city, took place this afternoon from the home of Henry W. Barnes, president of the Central Savings bank, and a very close friend of deceased, 39 Huntington street. The service was largely attended by friends, relatives and business men, including several from out-of-town, as well as delegates from the Central Savings bank, of which deceased had been president for a number of years, and from Kilwinning lodge and Pilgrim Commandery. The service was conducted at 2 o'clock by Rev. A. C. Ferrin, pastor of the High Street Congregational church of which deceased had been an attendant for a number of years. The bearers were two sons of deceased, Roswell B. and Charles D. Whidden, with two brothers, Graham R. and Ralph Whidden. Burial was in the family lot in the Lowell cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. A. C. Ferrin. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Henry W. Barnes under the direction of Undertaker George W. Healey.

PERRON—The funeral of Mrs. Adolphe Perron took place this morning from her home, 41 Hanover street. Solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated at St. Joseph's church at 9 o'clock by Rev. Joseph Boldue, O.M.I., assisted by Rev. C. A. Paquette, O.M.I. and Rev. Charles Denizot, O.M.I., as deacon and sub deacon. The bearers were J. Omer Smith, Pierre Malville, Eugene Savard, Adelard Trettechaud, Joseph Lajoie and Nelson Brown. Among the floral offerings were tributes from Mrs. Mary Deschesnes, Fischette family and Mrs. Joseph Lajoie. Among the out-of-town relatives attending the funeral were Mrs. Cyrille Toussaint and Alpha Toussaint of Salmon Falls, N. H. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Armand Baron, O.M.I. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers Joseph Albert & Son.

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HOUSING AND ANNEXATION

The great object of annexation to this city is to find room—room for factories, room for new streets, room for development of all kinds, but away and above all, room for homes. It is, or it should be, generally understood that Lowell houses its teeming population in a space about half as large as that of the average city of Massachusetts, and hence the main reason of the housing and tenement problems to which The Sun is calling attention. To properly house the working population of Lowell within the city limits it is necessary to erect large composite dwellings where instead of living in a healthful, comfortable way, ten or twelve or more families are thrown together in a proximity that is not healthy in any sense. All progressive cities are striving to get away from the large tenement block and are passing laws to that end. When will Lowell get away from it properly by going out and finding room for growth?

This is a question that should attract the immediate attention of the committee on Lowell's housing problems, recently appointed by the board of trade. It may be that the members of the committee will have serious suggestions of a different kind, but there is a large and growing group of citizens who believe that Lowell's most immediate need is annexation of new territory. There is also a responsible and large group of leading cities in the towns nearest to us who favor annexation with Lowell as a mutual aid and as an impetus to city and town development.

At the present time, most of the people who live in Dracut work in Lowell and a great part of the population of North Chelmsford do so likewise. Many of them would prefer to live in Lowell, but they cannot find conditions as desirable. They are willing to put up with the limitations of town management in order to enjoy life in a free, open atmosphere that is God's gift to all. They prefer the clean, open country to the brick court and the narrow, dirty alley, and to enjoy town life they are willing to put up with poor lighting service, a poor water supply, poor streets and the other disadvantages of the smaller communities. It is a poor policy for Lowell to watch more and more of its population going to live across the city boundaries, but unless something is done and that quickly, our population will remain stationary or it may decrease. It was with a shock that we realized after the last census that New Bedford had pushed us down to the sixth place, and the prospect is not rosy unless we annex more territory.

This question is surely broad enough, timely enough and important enough to warrant a public meeting at which citizens of Lowell and of the towns may exchange ideas for and against annexation. Unless the city takes the initiative, nothing will be done, and it is the firm conviction of The Sun after long and deep study and after comparison with cities all around us that Lowell stands urgently in need of annexation as a solution of some of our most vexing problems. If Dracut, for instance, should be annexed to Lowell tomorrow, hundreds of Lowell citizens would consider taking up homes in the new and most desirable section, and what would be the gain of the city would be proportionately the gain of the town.

Annexation is nothing new for Lowell; without it we would still be living in the town of Chelmsford. We recently celebrated our 84th anniversary. In these 80 years we have annexed many sections, and every annexation was for the general good. In 1834 Belvidere was annexed from Tewksbury; in 1851 Centralville was annexed from Dracut; in 1874 Middlesex Village was annexed; in 1879 about 355 acres were annexed from Dracut and in 1888 some 192 acres were annexed from Tewksbury. Since then we have annexed Wigginville and the Oaklands. Each annexation improved Lowell and added to its population. It also to a greater degree built up the district annexed. We now stand in need of annexation as strikingly as at any time in our history and we will have to annex more territory and grow right or stay as we are and grow the best way we may.

BUSINESS EDUCATION

In nothing is there a better outlook for American business than in the new spirit of enterprise that is sweeping over the country. Everybody who reads knows that efforts are being made to increase domestic and foreign trade as never before but there are specific instances of initiative evident from time to time that speak of a renewed and efficient America such as was undreamed of before the war.

Close relations are now being established between the universities and business. As one instance of it, a novel move in a new field has just been made by the progressive National bank of New York. This bank proposes to establish scholarships of $75 a month for selected students who will take one year of their university training in the bank. They are to receive credit in the school for this year of specialized training.

The object of this move is not far to seek. It is by no means philanthropic. This great bank, which was one of the first to take advantage of the revised currency law, realizes that before long American finance will dominate the world, and it is anxious to prepare a group of educated and specially trained men who shall be available when the country needs them. Branch banks in South America, the Orient and everywhere will be one of the features of government extension in the near future.

The relationship of the university to general business may be seen in many other ways. We now have the school of journalism, the engineering colleges, the technical courses in connection with large manufacturing plants, the commercial colleges, in touch with business offices and many other indications of the new belief that American business should have the service of highly trained and scientific men who may be equipped to do for their country what the trained men of other countries have been doing to a greater extent for many years.

Cultural or academic education will not suffer through this process of specializing, and it is better to have the graduate who is ready for something definite than the "educated" graduate who is really fit for nothing.

TEN PER CENT INCREASE

At the time that an increase in the wages of mill operatives was announced, The Sun expressed the hope that the companies would see their way clear to grant an increase of ten per cent. This has now been done by the American Woolen company, employing 25,000 operatives, and The Sun hastens to offer congratulations to the company and to the operatives. The increase will not affect Lowell in as great proportion as it will affect Lawrence, Manchester, New Bedford and other cities, but nevertheless it will cause gratification and optimism in all the textile cities.

While it may not be possible for all the textile companies to grant ten per cent, it would seem that most companies can do so. During the past year the mills have shared considerably in the general prosperity and they ought to be willing to pass a reasonable proportion of this prosperity around. Because of the great demand for labor in all industries and the new opportunities that have opened up to textile operatives, it is important for the mills to secure a contented class of workers, and nothing will do this sooner than a wage increase that comes voluntarily. It is the conviction of this paper that before long those mills that have not yet seen their way to grant increases will do so and that the increase in almost all cases will be at least ten per cent.

ARMY AEROPLANES

One of the advantages of the present expedition into Mexico has been to call special attention to the army aero service which is apparently not what it ought to be. Until the great war little attention was given the subject in this country but the importance of the aviation branches is so apparent in foreign countries that it can no longer be ignored in this country. The aviators of the American First Aero squadron recently complained that they have not received sufficient co-operation to make their work effective, and the failure of men and machines in the early stages of the Mexican expedition go to bear out their statement. In the eight years that this government has taken up aviation, 50 machines have been purchased, only half of which now are in commission. Most of these are out of date and unsuited to present conditions. In that time, too, twenty-three aviators or 65 per cent have been killed. These facts should call government attention to this important branch of the army, and navy, and judging from the views expressed by Secretary Daniels at the congressional committee investigation, the aero service is in the way of being made more efficient and up-to-date.

COOKING PREPAREDNESS

A novel note on a very common subject was injected into the preparedness debate in congress a few days ago by Senator Smoot, who urged increased appropriations for home economics "to prepare the girls and mothers of the country for their life duties." Senator Smoot lamented the fact that the American grudge can is the fatter in the world, and his reflection was: "It is a crime and is wicked in the sight of God to have the products of the farm made next to useless by poor cooking." Lest he should be supposed too old fashioned and out of touch with progress, he added: "I am an advocate of the highest education possible for women but I do believe no woman's education is complete until she knows how and could, if required, manage a home successfully." There is nothing in this that is new, but it is refreshing and encouraging to find such straight old fashioned truths put forward so pointedly where they will do good.

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SEEN AND HEARD

After a man has been vindicated he ceases to attract attention.

Every town has its distinction. In Coatesville, Pa., the barbers do not cut hair on Saturdays.

Some women marry for money, some for love and some for a man. It is not known why men marry.

While women are a good deal interested in the drama, the church wedding is their favorite form of theatrical performance.

If half the people enjoy any particular form of amusement or sport the other half endeavors to get a bill through the legislature prohibiting it.

New Aid to College Work

"When I went to college," said the boy's father, "I put my time studying. I didn't have a rich father to buy me an automobile to carry me to and from my classrooms."

"That's just the trouble," replied his son. "I have to spend so much time tinkering with that car that I can't get around to studying my lessons. Now, if you'd hire a chauffeur for me I'd be able to make a better showing in my classes."

He'd Make Good Fuel

Thomas Nelson Page, United States ambassador to Italy, tells the following story:

"Whenever I see a toothpick I think of a dinner that was given in Rome in honor of two Turkish noblemen. I sat near the younger of the noblemen. He glittered with gold embroidery and great diamonds, but nevertheless I pitied him sincerely, for he was strange to our table manners; and some of his errors were both ludicrous and painful.

"Toward the end of the dinner a servant brought to the young man a plate of toothpicks. He waved the plate away.

"'No, thank you,' he said; 'I have already eaten two of the awful things. I want no more!'"

Is He Out Yet?

A man was tried before a Wisconsin judge for horse stealing. When it came time for the lawyers on both sides to tell the judge what instructions they wanted to give the jury in addition to the points covered in his own charge, the attorney for the defense said:

"I respectfully ask Your Honor to charge the jury that it is a fundamental principle of law in this country that it is better for 99 guilty men to escape than for one innocent man to be found guilty."

"Yes, that is true," said the judge, reflectively, "and I so instruct the jury, but I will add that it is the opinion of the court that the 99 guilty men have already escaped."

Pigeons Were Drunk

Dobbs Ferry, N. J., residents were shocked at the sight of intoxicated pigeons trying to stagger home after an enforced absence.

During the last week 100 pigeons belonging to various persons were stolen. Two boys were found with seven pigeons, and when arraigned they confessed that they were members of a gang of pigeon thieves. The boys were released on suspended sentences when they promised to get the other lads to liberate the stolen pigeons. This was done and the air was full of birds.

A company of pigeons that had made their home around the brewery lured the recently freed ones to the mall heaps outside the brewery, where all wined and dined. They became inebriated, as their unavailing efforts to get back to their houses testified.—New York Sun.

Two Gardens

I have a quiet garden,
All full of hollyhocks,
And columbine, and foxglove,
And white and scarlet phlox.

And dainty sweet alyssum,
Where lover swarms of bees;
And swaying, graceful poppies,
And fragrant, shy sweet peas.

The hummingbirds, like jewels,
Flash gleaming to and fro
O'er beds of modest pansies
And daisies in a row.

Ah! youth may love the city,
The chase for wealth and fame,
But give old age the garden,
Each quiet day the same.

—Sheila Calbraith, in the Countryside Magazine.

I also have a garden,
With soil just right for weeds,
Where cutworms thrive and prosper,
And hens scratch up the seeds.

And borers kill the pear trees;
And brown-tails never fail,
And all the time I'm spraying
The darned San Jose scale.

The asparagus is rusty,
The wire-worms work their will,
And other pests destructive
I strive so hard to kill!

Ah! youth perhaps is lazy,
And youth is seldom wise,
But old age with a garden
Won't lack for exercise!

—Somerville Journal.

WHY HAIR FALLS OUT

Dandruff causes a feverish irritation of the scalp, the hair roots shrink, loosen and then the hair comes out fast. To stop falling hair at once and rid the scalp of every particle of dandruff, get a 25-cent bottle of Danderine at any drug store, pour a little in your hand and rub well into the scalp. After a few applications all dandruff disappears and the hair stops coming out.

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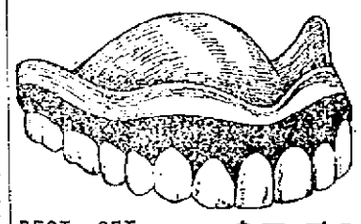

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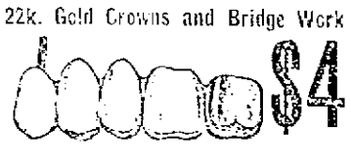

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AMUSEMENT NOTES

OPERA HOUSE

Proclaimed by the press and the hundreds of theatregoers who have already seen the play, "the greatest stage success ever brought to Lowell"—"David Harum"—this week's offering of the Emerson Players at the Opera house is certain to smash all former records made by this incomparable aggregation of stock stars. Never before has any play made such a great impression and never before has there been such a big demand for seats for any attraction. In order to avoid disappointment, it is wise to make reservations early and for as early in the week as possible. Reservations can be made by 'phoning 261.

Edward Nannary, the popular character man of the Emerson Players, who has scored big in previous offerings of the company, is seen at his best in "David Harum," and he plays the part with all the smoothness and mannerisms of William H. Crane who starred in the play for three solid years throughout the country at two dollar prices. Mr. Nannary plays the part just as he lived it, handling the many splendid situations with perfect ease. Herbert Heyes as John Lennox is very good in his portrayal of the character while Ann O'Day as Mary Blake, who is in love with John and who has developed a dislike for Mr. Harum, is all that the author intended.

Joe Crehan in the character of Chet Thompson furnishes many laughs. Ben Hadfield, Ray Martinez, Dick Barry, Gilberta Faust, Erina Irwin, Frank Wright, Forrest Gordon and other members of the company, in the various characters which made this play one of the most famous ever produced on the American stage, acquit themselves admirably. It is a production that is flawless even to the scenic production, not the slightest detail being missing.

"David Harum" is a play of tears and laughter with the main plot of the play written around the village "king," although there is a beautiful love story between John Lennox and Mary Blake, the New York girl who has come to Homeville to teach school. "David Harum" is a play with a great appeal for its story touches the heart strings of everyone.

As the attraction is positively limited to one week, patrons should make reservations early and arrange to see the play as early as possible. 'Phone 261 now and your seats will be held. Owing to the demand for tickets, reservations will be held until 1.45 in the afternoon and 7.45 in the evening.

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

Everybody likes a musical hodge-podge, with pretty girlies, gay comedians and the sort of tunes which are easily remembered. That's the kind "The Betting Bettys" is, and it toplines the seven acts at the B. F. Keith theatre, this week. It is described as "a racy, pacy musical comedy," and it's that and considerable more. Two unctuous comedians appear in it, Percy Chapman and Johnny Morris, and their antics are alone worth the price of admission. It's all about a day at the races, with pretty girls appearing in different gowns with alarming frequency. They go through about six different costumes, and wind up as jockeys. It's sure some little musical comedy, and it goes with a pep and zing that is delightful. Leo Beers, an entertainer, has an easy, nonchalant sort of way of doing things. Beers sings songs and talks and plays the piano the meanwhile. He's a tall, good looking chap who dresses in the modern manner, and who walks on and off in as un-actor-like a manner as possible. His songs are on a lot of different topics, yet they're all good, and the point in them isn't hard to find. He is truly an entertainer of the quiet but effective kind. Bert Savoy and Jay Brennan in "On the Rialto" have an uproariously funny skit. Savoy plays the part of the chorus girl who delights in telling of her adventures, while Brennan is the ticket speculator who agrees to listen. The combination is very good, and it is productive of many merry laughs. Galetti's simians do some remarkable stunts. The barber shop scene at the close of their act is very funny. Just how M. Galetti gets the smaller of the two monkeys to stand for the carving from the larger is a wonder. Frank and Edrie Fisher in "Perseverance" present a comedy with music which is well done, and Gladys Van and Arthur Pearce offer songs, dances and repartee in "Get a License." The bill opens with Dolly and Evelyn two pretty young women who do a little bit of everything and close on bicycles. Good seats for all performances may be obtained in advance. Telephone number 28.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

Don't fail to see the stellar program of delightful and entertaining motion pictures which will be shown at the continuous performance at the Merrimack Square theatre today for the last time. John Barrymore, the famous comedian will make his final appearances today in the screamingly funny comedy drama, "Nearly a King." In this amusing play which is laid in Europe John Barrymore plays the role of a reckless young man who closely resembles the Prince of Bulwana. Having but little regard for royalty he is rash enough to flirt with a princess who, unknown to him, thinks that he is really the prince. The fact that he is in appearance greatly like the prince together with the fact that he acts on impulse never counting the cost nor considering the consequences, gets him into many a ridiculous situation which from the viewpoint of the audience is highly amusing. Lenore Ulrich will also be seen today for the last time in the other five-act feature "The Heart of Paula," which is a gripping story of the Mexican border. It is a story of the faithful devotion and deep love of a woman for a man. The funny Sis Hopkins comedy will also be included on the program for today as well as other pictures.

One of the features on the bill for the last half of this week at the Merrimack Square theatre starting with the performance tomorrow afternoon will be "The Race," starring Victor Moore and Anita King. The play has to deal with the adventures of a frivolous wife of a wealthy automobile manufacturer and is suggested by the recent record trip of Anita King in an automobile, an unassisted ride of three thousand miles across the continent. Another attraction on the bill for the next three days will be "Secret Love," featuring the charming and accomplished Helen Ware. "Secret Love" is a triple love story of heart interest which everyone should see. Other pictures which will please the universal taste will also be shown during the latter half of this week at the Merrimack Square theatre.

OWL THEATRE

The feature photoplay at the Owl theatre today and tomorrow, will be another of those popular Fox productions entitled "The Ruling Passion." Appearing in the stellar roles of this wonderful story of India, are two of the most famous dramatic stars in the motion picture world, William Shay and Claire Whitney.

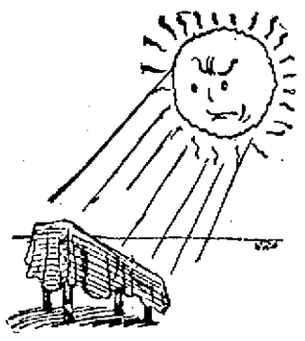
"The Ruling Passion" deals with a young English girl, the wife of a captain stationed in India. The native prince of this district has a peculiar hypnotic influence over all women and in the course of time, the captain's wife falls a victim, and during her husband's absence she elopes with the prince and is placed in his harem. Disillusioned, she escapes from the household of the prince and goes to a native hut. Meanwhile the natives under the leadership of the prince plan to rebel against the English government. The conspiracy is betrayed by an abused servant of the prince and the rebellion is quickly put down. How the evil-hearted prince meets the fate which he deserves and how the young girl is finally found in the hut near the point of death and how she dies begging forgiveness, forms a story which is without a doubt, one of the most stirring which has ever been released from the Fox studios. A big surrounding show has also been arranged which will be presented in conjunction with this feature photo-drama.

ROYAL THEATRE

Something is puzzling the millions of movie fans throughout the land, it is the identity of "The Laughing Mask," the baffling personage in "The Iron Claw" shown at the Royal theatre today and tomorrow. This good-natured gentleman,—or lady—has everyone of us guessing, and it's a great mystery. What with Pearl White, Creighton Hale and Sheldon Lewis, this famous serial offers an exceptionally good dish. The latest episode released is shown specially at the Royal as an extra mid-week attraction, and every week it is proving more popular than ever. Another fine attraction on the same program is the four-act Lubin-Unit feature, called "Saved From the Harem," telling the harrowing experiences of an American girl in India. How Uncle Sam's boys effect her escape from a life of bondage, offers one of the most exciting stories ever filmed. A number of other two-reel and single plays will complete this magnificent program. Coming Friday and Saturday, a real preparedness film, "Guarding Old Glory." Every man, woman and child should see this patriotic film.

JEWEL THEATRE

Glen White, Jane Novak and Richard Stanton are a trio who certainly are bringing credit to Universal films. Their work in "Graft" of which an episode will be shown at the Jewel theatre today and tomorrow, smacks of the unusual. Stanton' forceful personality, White's fiendishness and Miss Novak's beauty and charm are a combination that are rarely met.



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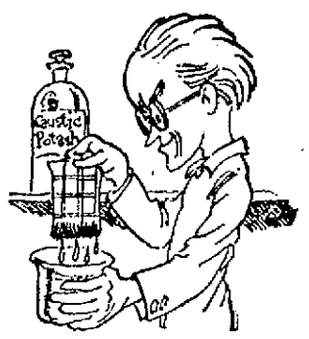
If it fades—we don't accept the goods.



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A piece of every piece of cloth we buy is dissolved in a solution of caustic potash.

If there's the slightest cotton residue—we don't accept the goods.

These are the tests we adhere to today as rigidly as at any time in the past thirty years.

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The above advertisement has just been received by us from ROGERS, PEET CO. It's straight to the point. It tells you what you want to know now-a-days, about the clothes they make.

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SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

Instructions to the delegates who are to attend the grand court convention in Lynn in May were received at last evening's meeting of Court Merrimack 11, Foresters of America, held in Grafton hall with Chief Ranger Edward J. McInerney in the chair. Two applications for membership were received and referred. The sick committee reported that Brothers Owen Tighe, Thomas Hayden and Thomas McCabe are improved. Important business was transacted and remarks were made by John Barrett, John F. Sullivan and Thomas F. Kelley.

Echo Lodge, N.E.O.P.

Considerable business was transacted at the regular meeting of Echo lodge, N.E.O.P., held last night in Post 185 hall. Applications for membership were received and a social hour was enjoyed. An entertainment committee was appointed to arrange a program for the next meeting.

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MILFORD STRIKE ENDS

TEN PER CENT INCREASE IN WAGES IS GRANTED TO QUARRYMEN

MILFORD, N. H., April 12. The quarrymen's strike of more than a month was settled at a meeting of the committees representing the manufacturers and strikers last night in Granite hall. The manufacturers conceded the 10 per cent wage increase for which the men struck. The 160 men are expected to return to work at once.

Today the committees will sit again on the granite cutters' demands, and it is anticipated that an agreement will be as readily reached in their case.

The new agreement is to run four years, beginning from May 1. Engineers who were paid $2.25 a day under the old schedule will receive $2.50 under the new one; quarrymen who got $2.16 will receive $2.35; quarry blacksmiths who got $3 will now get $3.32.

Samuel A. Lovejoy of the Lovejoy Granite company is chairman of the manufacturers' committee and Frank Gardner is chairman of the strikers' committee. Three hundred striking cutters are involved in the hoped-for settlement for today, but 500 will benefit if the increase is granted.

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When other dentists quote you prices of $5.50, $7.50 and so forth as the best, I want you to just stop one minute and let your common sense tell you that with platinum at an unheard-of-price, are they the dentists you wish to trust your dental work to.

It may be the best they can do, but it is not the best that can be done.

Gold Crown.....$4.00, $5.00
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Painless Extracting Free

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MOODY CLUB CASE

Continued

out at length a week ago and concluded today, Cecil P. Dodge, Thomas J. Boyle, Henry Bousquet and John E. Lovejoy were all found guilty of promoting a public boxing match and sparring exhibition on March 24. Mr. Dodge was fined $20 and the others had their cases filed.

In the complaint charging Cecil P. Dodge, Henry J. Sullivan, Harry D. Chaplin, Cornelius F. Desmond, Jr., and James O'Connor with the same offence on March 31, Mr. Dodge pleaded nolo and was fined $30. The others were found not guilty by agreement.

The third case accusing Messrs. Dodge, Sullivan, Desmond, O'Connor and Wallace W. Rogerson with the same complaint on April 7, was disposed of in the same way. Mr. Dodge after entering a plea of nolo, was fined $50 and the other four were found not guilty.

Patrick Sweeney, the referee, and Victor Mello and James Spillane, boxers, pleaded nolo to a charge of engaging in a public boxing match and sparring exhibition on April 7. Their cases were placed on file.

In disposing of the cases, Judge Enright advised the young men to keep away from boxing bouts hereafter. "You might be more unfortunate next time and not have a man like Mr. Dodge backing you."

The government's side of the evidence was put in last week. When the case was recalled today Attorney Tierney requested Supt. Welch to be sworn in and testify. He then asked:

"Have you the ticket that Mr. Barry put in evidence last week?"

"Yes." Supt. Welch then displayed a Moody club membership ticket, which he said he found on his desk. He was unable to give any information as to how the card got into his office.

"Did Mr. Dodge call on you before he opened these entertainments?"

"Yes."

"Did he show you his stationery?"

"He showed me some tickets."

"Didn't he leave one on your desk?"

"He did not."

The chief said that since the arrest of the Moody club members he knew the Triangle A. A. had conducted an entertainment in the Academy of Music. At first the superintendent said he did not recall a conversation with anyone relative to the Triangle A. A., but later admitted talking with a Mr. Connors. The latter asked if the police would object to boxing exhibitions and he was informed that they would if the law was violated.

This concluded the evidence, Mr. Tierney stating that he would offer no further defence. Before beginning the arguments, it was agreed that whether or not the contestants at the matches were paid would have no bearing on the case.

In opening his argument, Mr. Tierney said: "In 12 communities that I know of boxing is conducted legally, properly and decently. I was pleased to read in the newspapers a few weeks ago about supreme court justices, cabinet members and other government officials attending a boxing match in New York city. I also recall that on that same night thousands of people stood in Merrimack square in the cold and rain and listened to the newspaper reports of that bout.

"The question involved here is not whether a few people got by the gatekeeper, some under orders of the chief of police; but if the management did not have an earnest desire to abide with the laws. Mr. Dodge did have an honest and fair desire to have these entertainments confined to members of the club. He cordially greeted police officers sent there and requested them to report to him any violation of the law that they detected."

Supt. Welch said that it was immaterial what he, Mr. Tierney or anyone else thought of the boxing game. The whole question is whether the Moody club conducted a public boxing match on March 24, thereby violating the law. He reviewed the evidence of Patrolman Drewett that on that evening men went to the Playhouse with Triangle tickets and exchanged them at a table for Moody club tickets. One of our recruits, said the chief, presented a Triangle ticket in the stairway that night and was given a Moody club ticket to entitle him to admission. That is the essence of this case and that is why we claim it was public.

"So far as exhibitions in other states are concerned it depends on the laws of those states," said the court. "Every state has its own law. Here in Massachusetts it is different."

His Honor then cited a decision of the supreme court in the case of the commonwealth vs. Mack, in which a finding of guilty was made. All this follows what was done in the Moody case and the supreme court said that this form of securing membership tickets was only a subterfuge to get the people and not a bona fide conducted club.

"I am satisfied," continued the court, "that it is next to impossible to run a boxing match in compliance with the law unless you close the doors to the public. The Mathews or the Yorick club might do this legally; but where a hall is leased, newspapers are used for advertising and men go to the ticket office for membership cards, it is not a properly conducted club. I haven't any doubt but there was a violation of the law and I must find the men guilty."

After this finding had been made, Mr. Tierney said that in the other cases the evidence would be practically the same and he did not think it was necessary to take up so much of the court's time. The findings as mentioned above were then agreed upon and read by Assistant Clerk Trull.

Other Cases

The rest of today's police court list was short. Allen McDonald of East Billerica pleaded guilty to being a common drunkard. He has been drinking heavily of late, said the officers, and when drunk uses indecent language to his wife and family. On the promise that he would abstain from the use of intoxicants, McDonald was given a suspended sentence of four months in jail.

Edward Cote, who yesterday appealed from a two months' sentence to jail for larceny from Miss Lucy Gineras of First street, withdrew his appeal today and the sentence was affirmed.

A Belvidere merchant was in court today for violating the automobile law by driving a machine that had not been registered. The case was filed.

The famous Perry's court-Collinsville cases, assault and battery, were called today, but as Attorney Neal, who represents the government, is ill, all cases were continued until next Thursday. One woman was sent to jail for 15 days and there were a few releases.

THE ARCHIBALD BOY

Paul Archibald, the 11-year-old boy struck by an automobile in Merrimack street yesterday, is reported to be resting as comfortably as can be expected today. He is still on the dangerous list, however, yet it is hoped that he will recover.

TENEMENT to let, with garden. Westford road, Chelmsford, Mass.; 15 minutes from Middlesex st. car, off Wood st. Also cows for sale. A. Adams, Westford road, Box. 98.

CITY HALL NEWS

Continued

his statement relative to the new high school Mr. Duncan stated that in order for him to favor the acquisition of more land and the building of a $1,000,000 school he would have to be shown wherein it was absolutely necessary for the city to construct so big a school at this time.

Dr. Sherman Nominated

After calling the meeting to order the mayor referred to the law requiring the council to nominate one or more animal inspectors to be approved by the commission of animal industry and he suggested that the present inspector, Dr. William A. Sherman, be nominated. It was so voted.

The mayor read a notice from James F. Brosnan of the police department. It was a claim of $227.04 for salary from Feb. 18, 1915, to April 14, 1915. The matter was referred to the law department.

The Lowell Electric Light corporation had sent a bill to the public safety department for $32.60 and the mayor read a letter in explanation of the bill. It seems that the inspector of wires borrowed 193 lights for the Christmas tree on the common in 1915 and that only 25 of the lights had been returned. That was a shortage of 168 lights which, valued at 20 cents a piece, amounted to $33.60. The matter was referred to the committee on claims and the inspector will also be asked to submit a report.

Inspector of Buildings

The ordinance brought in by Commissioner Donnelly at yesterday's meeting and sent back for some slight correction had another inning today. The ordinance has to do with the title of inspector of buildings and is an ordinance amending an ordinance. Under the present ordinance the inspector is known as the "inspector of public buildings," and the amendment simply eliminates the word "public," making the title read "inspector of buildings." The ordinance will be passed to be enrolled at the next meeting.

Loan Order Passed

The $60,000 order for school additions and purchase of land for school purposes was passed with the emergency clause attached. The order in its original form was objected to by the Boston bankers who wanted the words added "to provide for the construction of additions when such additions include the floor space of the building to which additions were made." These few kind words were added and the order passed.

Commissioner Morse was given authority to make requisition upon the purchasing agent for 4000 barrels of Portland cement, more or less, to be delivered in bags with the understanding that it is up to the commissioner to say if it shall be more or less. He was also authorized to purchase through the same channel 50,000 hard burned brick, more or less, and in this instance, too, he will be the fellow to say "more or less."

To Fence Waterways

The danger spots along the canals, as pointed out by the committee on waterways, were referred to and it was the consensus of opinion that the places viewed by the council yesterday, Clark's court and Joiner's court, off Lawrence street, should be fenced in order to prevent the children from falling into the river. The place in Congress avenue, extending out over Hale's brook, where the little girl was drowned last year, has already been fenced. It was finally decided to ask the purchasing agent to get styles and prices of unclimbable wire fences, so that the council, when it decides upon some action, could order the fence at a moment's notice.

To Sell Schoolhouses

Commissioner Donnelly asked the city solicitor if he had looked up all of the titles of the unused schoolhouses that the city proposes to sell. The city solicitor said that all but two had been looked up and that he would have them all ready for final action at the next meeting. The mayor called attention to the fact that a cottage house on the Lyon street school annex, so-called, is occupied by the janitor, who pays a rental to the city of about $120 a year. The mayor questioned the advisability of selling the property in view of the income. No definite action was taken, but all matters pertaining to the sale of the schoolhouses and property will be attended to at the next meeting Tuesday, April 18, at 10 a. m.

City Hall Notes

Mayor O'Donnell received an invitation from the management to attend the opening ball game of the season at Boston, but because of so much business was unable to attend.

It was learned at city hall this forenoon that E. H. Davis, the engineer in charge of the big bridges in Lawrence, has just been selected as supervising engineer for two big bridges in Cumberland, Md.

The mayor stated today that he will call a meeting of the school committee, council and high school advisory board for Monday night.

PREMIUM COUPONS

Manufacturers of Snuff, Tobacco, Etc., Must Put Gifts in All Shipments or None at All

WASHINGTON, April 12.—Manufacturers of snuff, tobacco, cigars and cigarets face leaving out gift-cards and premium coupons altogether or putting them in all shipments, including those to states which have passed laws prohibiting the practice

The treasury department, in an order made public today, holds that unless such cards or coupons are included in all shipments, regardless of destination, the practice comes within the law forbidding lotteries, because consumers in localities where premiums are omitted would not have the same opportunity to obtain valuable prizes as those in more favored localities

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AUTOMOBILE QUESTION BOX

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open the throttle three-quarters of the way it will run fast, and when I open it full it will run slower. Valves were just ground and all overhauled. The butterfly is just straight when fully opened. Will you kindly give me some advice to remedy this trouble? I have tried every possible carburetor adjustment M. L.

Ans.—It may be necessary to change the specifications of the carburetor. Perhaps when the throttle is fully opened the mixture is impoverished by too much air. A heavier spring may help, or, perhaps, the spray nozzle is too small. If the carburetor is properly suited and adjusted to the motor a good mixture should be obtained at all engine speeds. A little experimenting in this respect should remedy the trouble.

Please give me what information you can about the preparations on the market to put in gasoline to increase mileage? Are they any good or only fakes? What is their composition? The price charged seems rather high. I am afraid they might injure my engine. F. G.

Ans.—While there may be a number of preparations on the market used in gasoline for the purpose of increasing the mileage it is a question whether the additional expense is offset by the increased mileage obtained. It is not possible to advise you as to what elements go to make up such compositions. It is reasonable to assume, however, that if a good grade of gasoline is used satisfactory results will be obtained without adulteration. Would not advise using any foreign liquids in the gasoline for the purpose of obtaining better results unless your are entirely familiar with the nature of the liquid used. It is possible that injury may result to the motor if certain chemicals are employed in the gasoline.

Will you please inform me the kind of gasoline that the racers use? The gasoline I use does not seem to be up to the standard. T. F.

Ans.—In racing cars the best grade of gasoline obtainable is used. The cost is slightly greater, but the results are better. It is more refined, and tests about 76. The gasoline purchased at the average garage tests about 66.

I have a 1913 model Ford car. Probably two years ago it developed a slight knock, which is now so pronounced that it is annoying. The sound is rather sharp, something like a slap or click resulting from striking together two pieces of steel. It is not the thump usually heard when a babbit bearing is loose. I have had all the bearings carefully tested. They are in good shape. It seems that the noise must be caused by contact between the pistons and cylinders. Piston-pin bearings are in good shape. There does not seem to be enough play in pistons to cause a knock. In fact I have tried to replace old pistons with .005 oversize pistons, but they would not go into cylinders. Can you suggest a remedy? Would an extra gasket on top of the cylinders help? The knock is most pronounced when spark is advanced; and is especially noticeable when more gas is turned on. Have new rings on pistons. J. O.

Ans.—If the knock is due to piston slap the installation of over-size pistons would not be advisable without reboring the cylinders. Perhaps one of the cylinders is worn oval in shape. The next time you have occasion to remove pistons it would be advisable to caliper the cylinders in order to determine their true condition. When the cylinders are rebored and new oversize pistons fitted there can be no piston slap.

I own a 1915 Rupmobile and have had battery troubles. Some one suggested that I put in a magneto. Will this give more power to the car? Would like to avoid the expense of a magneto. Do you think that dry cells would overcome the difficulties? J. B.

Ans.—If the storage battery is in good condition and the electrical system properly adjusted you should experience no difficulty with battery ignition. A great majority of modern cars employ the battery systems with excellent results. The magneto is good and very reliable, but it hardly seems necessary to entail the expense of installing a magneto in your case. Perhaps some defect in the wiring system is causing the trouble. Dry cells are not satisfactory for ignition purposes.

Am driving a —— roadster and when not in use keep car jacked up, putting the jack under housing of differential. Please advise if this causes too much strain at this point. H. L.

Ans.—The axle housing should certainly be strong enough to support the weight of this car. This should not be done, however, with cars of the heavier type. It is best to jack up on both sides of the axle.

Kindly advise me of a good way to restore the freshness to a mohair top (1911 make) after the dirt has been brushed out. S. J.

Ans.—The top should be brushed briskly with a stiff brush. When this is done it should be sponged thoroughly with soap and water. Plenty of soap suds and energetic sponging should clean it efficiently. Further than this nothing can be done without destroying the rainproof quality of the cloth.

Have a —— car with four-cylinder engine which runs smooth but makes a clicking noise. Am unable to locate trouble? P. C.

Ans.—The clicking noise may be due to loose valve push rods. Quite often if these are adjusted more closely the noise will be reduced. You may find that the noise is due to the side thrust of the valve push rods. When these become worn a side slap and click develop as the cam hits the roller of the push rod. Lost motion in water pump or starter couplings will cause a click. Perhaps you may find, on close inspection, one of the coupling heads loose on the shaft. These are usually keyed or pinned to shaft but work loose at times.

WARNS LOWELL AUTOISTS TO SAFEGUARD CARS

THE AUTO OWNERS OF LOWELL

Nearly every night, the local police station receives reports from police headquarters of other cities reporting the theft of automobiles. Lowell thus far this season, has been noticeably free from such larcenies, but the same gangs that are working in other municipalities are apt to visit Lowell. Supt. of Police Redmond Welch warns autoists to provide some means of metal chain for locking their cars against theft, and suggests a length of metal chain to be looped about the rim of one wheel and a portion of the frame of the machine and secured by a padlock. The mere presence of such a protecting device is usually sufficient to discourage attempts at larceny. If such an attempt is made, the effort is laborious and attracts attention. Physicians and other professional men apt to leave their machines for long periods of time in the streets need special warning, says the chief.
—From this morning's Courier-Citizen.

Doubtlessly appreciate the commonsense in this warning of their police superintendent, and his interest in their welfare which prompted its utterance. We have on hand the remedy the chief considers adequate—**Chains to Secure Your Tires.** They are only 75c and 85c. THE TIME TO GET YOURS IS NOW—TODAY. "Don't lock your stable after the horse is stolen."

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One case of Regena taffeta remnants, large variety of patterns for spring dresses, 25c value on the piece, at yard 17c

BASEMENT BASEMENT

ACCIDENT WAS FATAL

LOWELL BOY FATALLY INJURED IN BOOTT MILLS—HEARING BEFORE INDUSTRIAL AC. BOARD

The industrial accident board will come to Lowell on April 21 for the purpose of reviewing the case of Aime Dube who died as the result of injuries sustained at the Boott mills on October 15, 1915. This will be the first hearing in Lowell under the full board, Frank J. Donahue, chairman; Dudley M. Holman, David T. Dickinson, Joseph A. Parks and Thomas F. Boyle.

The Dube boy was employed as a bobbin stripper in the Boott mills at the time of the accident. In an endeavor to take wool from a pulley he was caught by a belt and wound about the shafting. He died at 6.30 p. m., on the day of the accident.

The case was first heard in this city on December 13. The committee on arbitration at that time consisted of Frank J. Donahue, chairman; William J. Carroll, for the boy's mother, Mrs. Virginia Dube, and Arthur Santry for the insurer, the American Mutual Liability Insurance company. The committee found that the petitioner had not right to compensation inasmuch as her son, the victim of the accident, was injured while doing work that he was not employed or engaged to do.

There were several hearings in Boston after the hearing in Lowell and Lawyer Arthur L. Eno, counsel for Mrs. Dube, finally succeeded in persuading the full board to reopen the case and the hearing will be held in the aldermanic chamber at city hall, April 21, at 10.30 a. m.

"A TRIED REPUBLICAN"

HARTFORD, Conn., April 12.—The republicans in state convention here today chose 11 delegates to the national convention at Chicago, two from each of the five congressional districts and four at large. The latter are: J. Henry Roraback, Canaan; Charles Hopkins Clark, Hartford; John T. King, Bridgeport, and Francis C. Maxwell, Vernon.

The resolutions adopted condemned the administration's Mexican policy as "vacillating," urged the need of "an army and navy adequate to repel any attempt at invasion," and the nomination at Chicago for president of "a tried republican" whose record and character would give the nation a guarantee of wise statesmanship in the management of foreign and domestic affairs.

The resolutions also request the national convention to declare for a world's conference after the European war in behalf of an international tribunal to end war. This paragraph was written by former President William Howard Taft and conforms to the declaration of the League to Enforce Peace of which he is president.

SUN BREVITIES

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Jackson Palmer, the well known lawyer, is confined to his home in Sixth street with an attack of the grip.

Engine 2 responded to a telephone alarm late yesterday afternoon for a grass fire in a vacant field of Parker street.

A chimney fire in a two-story frame tenement block in Howe avenue occupied by the Nesmith estate caused an alarm from box 3, corner Howe and East Merrimack streets, at 9.10 o'clock last evening. There was considerable smoke but little damage.

A handsome shepherd dog has been quarantined at the police department stable in Market street, where it will remain for a week or ten days in order to ascertain if it is suffering from the rabies. It is alleged that the dog bit a person Saturday and yesterday the canine was taken to the stable where it will be kept under observation.

It is reported that Mrs. Marie Sundellus, wife of Dr. Gustave Sundellus of Commonwealth avenue, Boston, and a favorite among Lowell lovers of music, will soon become a member of the Metropolitan Opera Co. The talented singer, who has been heard in this city on several occasions, will be the soloist at the May concert of the Lowell Choral society.

"Child Training and Man Making" was the subject of Edward W. Dickinson of Billerica, who addressed the members of the Educational club yesterday afternoon. There was a large attendance. It was announced that at the next meeting Mrs. Burke will speak on the works of the poet Bryant. A musical entertainment will be furnished.

A valuable bulldog owned by J. F. Cahill of Harrison street was run over and killed by a furniture truck near the corner of Andover and Harrison streets late yesterday afternoon. The dog lay unconscious on the street after the accident and Officer Gilmore of the Humane society was notified but when he arrived the dog was dead. Witnesses say that the accident could not have been avoided by the driver.

In the case of Mrs. Helen Walsh of this city vs. the Columbia Fuel Co., a verdict for the defendant was given yesterday at the Suffolk county court. Mrs. Walsh claimed that she had entered into an agreement with the fuel company to sell soft coal in Lowell for $6 a ton. Later the company raised the price to $8 a ton, and the plaintiff sued for $250, representing the difference in price on the tons sold. Bennett Silverblatt appeared for the plaintiff and Edward J. Tierney for the company.

The Women of the Pawtucket Congregational church entertained members of the Lowell General Hospital Aid association at the Spalding house yesterday afternoon. There were 74 members present. There were readings by Miss Marian McCord and Mr. Henry H. Harris spoke on his recent trip to the Panama-Pacific exposition. A gift of $25 was received from the Ladies Aid society of the High Street Congregational church, and another gift of six dozen wash cloths was received from a member of the association. One hundred and sixty-eight articles were sent to the hospital during last month.

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At the JEWEL
TODAY and TOMORROW

HOW PHINNEY BOYLE LOST

PROVIDENCE PAPER DESCRIBES KNOCKOUT OF LOWELL BOXER BY FLEMING

J. D. McGlone in the Providence Tribune has the following relative to the fight between Phinney Boyle of this city and Frankie Fleming, the Canadian champ at Woonsocket, R. I., Monday night:

Phinney Boyle, New England's candidate for featherweight honors, lasted less than nine rounds with Frankie Fleming, the Canadian champion, at Woonsocket last night. Boyle, though counted out, was not completely finished and took the long count in a half-sitting position, his head clear enough to realize more than his loud-mouthed seconds that he was hopelessly outclassed and that another one of Fleming's terrific body punches would surely do for him.

Boyle came in two pounds over the agreed weight and this added poundage made him very confident at the start. For four rounds he boxed rings around Fleming. He danced lightly in, feinting and shooting in smart, stinging hooks and piled up such a lead that the long end boys were wondering when the Canadian would cut out his stalling and get down to real work.

Fleming is noted as a slow starter, and it was well into the fourth before he did anything to merit the confidence of his backers to take hold of the situation. Before this he was content to let Boyle do the leading, while he covered his face with both gloves, feeling the power of the other's punches and awaiting for a right counter, supposed to be his best stock in trade.

The fourth had gone a minute or so when Fleming, who was boring all the while, forced Boyle into his own corner and there he dazed the Lowell lad with two heavy rights to face. Boyle backed away from the ropes, pursued by the persistent and dogged Fleming, and by leading and scoring with light left taps held his own till the end of the round.

Boyle was desperate when he came out for the ninth. His lips were split and bleeding, though he seemed strong as ever and he met the determined Fleming with a show of boxing he displayed in the opening sessions. Fleming, however, was not to be denied and bored in trying to get Phinney near the ropes. When he accomplished this end he flailed him with both hands. Boyle, with a mild show of resistance, swung a wide right that split Fleming's left eye. The Canadian was a bit dazed by the blow, but he came back and let out with all he had and beat Boyle to the floor with three wicked rights to the body, followed by a sharp inside left hook to the chin. Boyle settled easily on the mat, resting on one shoulder, where ten was tolled off by Referee Fitzgerald. The clip on the chin was the last blow but the body punches had done the real work.

Fleming showed himself to be a cool, clever ring general. He carried out a well laid plan of action—that of letting Boyle tire himself out—with a grim determination that must have impressed Boyle as it impressed the big crowd of fans.

Emily Stevens, a motion picture actress, appeared in the Church of the Most Holy Redeemer in New York, where play and player was the text of her sermon.

ACMES BEAT SUBURBANS

TOOK ALL FOUR POINTS IN THE MATCH LAST NIGHT—OTHER CONTESTS

The second game of a series to be played between the Acmes of the Crescent Minor league and Suburbans of the Kittredge Minor league was rolled on Kittredge's alleys last night and the Acmes won all four points with comparative ease, winning the first string by 24 pins, the second by 43, the third by 61 and total pinfall by 128. White of the Suburbans was high man with a total of 315 and Coleman of the Acmes had a triple of 313.

In the Market league the Turner Centre Creamery five dropped all four points to Dean's market.

The Clippers won three points from the Beacons in the Bridge Street league, the Beacons nosing out ahead in the third string for one point.

The scores:

Acmes

	1	2	3	Tls
Coleman	82	129	102	313
Pope	95	91	102	288
Murphy	77	96	102	275
Hosmer	88	98	95	281
Dunham	96	83	117	296
Totals	438	497	518	1453

Suburbans

Doyle	76	73	90	239
Nickerson	87	83	77	247
Cameron	88	91	89	268
Chandler	75	100	81	256
White	88	107	120	315
Totals	414	454	457	1325

MARKET LEAGUE

Turner Centre Creamery

Shrigley	88	69	74	231
Hutchinson	77	85	80	242
Nixon	89	105	75	269
Spence	74	101	86	261
Maxwell	82	96	82	260
Totals	410	456	397	1263

Dean's Market

Potter	79	106	82	267
McDougall	85	78	75	238
J. Dean	81	106	129	316
S. Dean	99	100	90	289
Laycock	87	83	86	256
Totals	431	473	462	1366

BRIDGE STREET LEAGUE

Beacons

Tierney	84	93	92	269
O'Connor	89	101	82	272
Sub	83	81	80	244
Reardon	81	78	92	251
Lemke	104	101	103	308
Totals	441	454	449	1344

Clippers

Shea	106	101	85	292
Larkin	83	92	83	258
Hart	88	100	80	268
McKenzie	89	81	97	267
Murray	107	94	87	288
Totals	473	468	432	1373

GAMES TOMORROW

American League

Philadelphia at Boston.
Detroit at Chicago.
Washington at New York.
St. Louis at Cleveland.

National League

Boston at Brooklyn.
New York at Philadelphia.
Pittsburgh at St. Louis.
Chicago at Cincinnati.

THE MYSTERY SOLVED

"MASKED MARVEL" NO MATCH FOR CHESTER MARTEL AT BOWLING

Chester Martel, of this city, defeated William Robbins, of Derry, N. H., by 150 pins in the 20-string match, the first half of which was played last Tuesday night and wound up last night on the Crescent alleys. Robbins was the "masked marvel" whose identity was not known to the bowling fans until the game was well under way last night. When the match was made it was with the understanding that Martel's opponent wear a mask which was not to be removed unless he was defeated by the Lowell man. The game had not progressed very far last night, however, before Robbins saw that there was not the slightest chance for him to win and he abandoned the face covering.

Although but a "yearling" the New Hampshire man plays a very steady game but he lacks the experience peculiar to the topnotchers of today.

At the end of the first ten strings played Tuesday night Martel won by a margin of 87 pins so that when he started in to play last night he had a big advantage. Martel seemed to take matters apparently easy and won the last ten strings by a margin of 63 pins, making the total 150 pins.

It was evident that Martel was not letting himself out during the entire match for in the second string he registered but 82 and 84 was the sum total of the boxes in the fourth string and then again in the seventh his tally was but 87. In the ninth string Martel scored 118 and made a Garrison finish in the tenth by slamming the pins for 126.

Robbins' low string was 82 in the fourth, while the highest he could put up was 107, which he did in the sixth and tenth frames.

The score:

Martel	106	82	96	84	103	
	111	87	94	118	126	—1010
Robbins	94	102	93	82	92	
	107	88	100	82	107	—947

SOUTH END BALL TEAM

The first practice trials for candidates who intend to try out for Harry Pitts' South End baseball team will be held on the South common next Saturday afternoon. Manager Walter Lyons has issued a call for all candidates to report on the common promptly at 2 o'clock.

Mr. Pitts has made arrangements for uniforms for the team and they are expected to arrive by Friday afternoon. The suits will be patterned after those worn by the New York Nationals.

Manager Lyons is of the opinion that he will produce one of the strongest amateur teams in this section of the country this year. He has a wealth of material to select from, and indications point to the coming season being the most successful of his career at the managerial helm. Manager Lyons intends to open the season on April 15 with the fast Centipede team of Lawrence as the opposing force. On April 22 the team will display its strength against Harry Lord's Lowell outfit.

Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, head of the National Association of American Woman Suffrage, was once a newspaper woman, having received her training in San Francisco.

FAST BASKETBALL

Lowell Five Won From Crescents by Score of 25 to 22

Followers of sporting events in this city who attended the basketball game at the Crescent rink last night were tendered a rare treat, for the game developed play of a calibre not often witnessed around these parts. There were many spectacular shots by players on both teams, and during the second and third periods many thrilling situations cropped out and fans were kept on edge until the whistle announced the cessation of play. The Lowell Five quintet won the game by the score of 25 to 22.

"Hunk" Haggerty, the "Jess Willard" of basketball, who was scheduled to appear in the Crescent lineup, failed to materialize and his place was taken by George Renkert, one of the best defensive men in this section of the country. The non-appearance of Haggerty created some talk, but after the game got under way the ponderous one was soon forgotten, as there wasn't any time to worry over the absence of the player, so fast did the teams perform.

As in the preceding games in the city championship series, sentiment was with the Lowell Five, and a large majority of those in attendance rooted hard for Lew's aggregation to win. This can probably be attributed to the fact that two Lowell men were in the Lowell Five lineup, with Lew the star of the first part of the game.

The Lowell Five started the fireworks in the first session by annexing a series of baskets in quick succession. Crockett started the damage and Lew followed with two pretty shots. Then "Red" Kenney made enthusiasm among the Lowell Five following run exceptionally high by one of the most sensational shots seen at the Crescent rink this season. The former Milford star threw the ball from one end of the cage to the other, the ball going through the netting without even touching the iron rim. Allison added two additional points to the Lowell Five total before the period ended, with the Crescents on the short end of a 15-3 score.

The third street contingent came back strong in the second period, and nearly evened up matters, the score at the end of the session going to the Lowell Five with only a five point lead. "Win" Snow caged the ball twice in this frame, and Doherty and Costello got one apiece.

In the third period the Crescent players worked at top speed but were unable to overcome the lead of the opposing team. Costello ran wild in this period and caged the ball three times, while Doherty annexed another basket. Lew was the only Lowell Five man to score. Several fouls, however, were charged up against the Crescents, and this fact cost them the game.

Snow and Costello were the most consistent performers for the Crescents, and Lew and Kenney performed creditably for the Lowell Five. Snow was pitted against Jim Mulvanity, the big Nashua police inspector, and he ran the New Hampshire copper off his feet before the game ended. Mulvanity introduced several holds on Snow that have never been attempted in this city before, but Snow always managed to get away from him. Lew gave a great comeback exhibition, and is entitled to a great deal of credit for his work. He was in the game at all times and proved a strong asset to his team.

The lineup, score and summary:

Lowell Five	Crescents
Lew lf	rb Doherty
Allison rf	lb Renkert
Mulvanity c	c Snow
Crockett lb	rf Murphy
Kenney rb	lf Costello

Lowell Five 25, Crescents 22. Goals by Crockett 2, Lew 3, Kenney 4, Allison, Snow 3, Doherty 2, Renkert. Referee: William Wilson. Timers: Bob Hart and Paul Clark. Time—Three periods of 15 minutes.

MACK AND BUTLER DRAW

FAST 12-ROUND BOUT AT BOSTON —CHICK WEST BEAT CHARLEY BYERS IN SEMI-FINAL

BOSTON, April 12.—The program of bouts that the Armory A. A. staged at the Hippodrome last night was a good climax to the closing show of the club at that place, and the boxing witnessed by the large crowd of fans was about the best that has been seen there. The club goes back to the Arena next Tuesday night.

The feature bout last night was between those rivals, Frankie Mack of Beachmont and Walter Butler of Revere. They met at catchweights. It was their third meeting and it was the best bout of the trio. Though they boxed fast and hard in the 12 rounds, still referee Madiff Flaherty could not see that either one had any better of the milling and he declared the bout a draw. It was a good decision.

First one and then the other looked as if he were going to be the winner. Then good rallies would even up the score again. Mack did not do so much slapping with the open glove as he formerly did, and Butler did not display as good headwork as he showed in their last bout. Both did a lot of body punching, especially when at close quarters. They also did some good countering with both hands, but there was no knock down during the contest.

Butler was the aggressor most of the time and he stabbed and hooked Mack many times with the left on the jaw and face. He also hooked the right and left onto Mack's stomach. The latter caught Butler's head back with stiff left jabs. They had many hot exchanges, landing most of their punches on the body. The decision met with the approval of most of the fans.

John McInnis, the ex-amateur welterweight of Lynn, probably wishes he had stayed in the ranks of the pros after the licing he got last night from Morris of Montreal in one of the preliminaries. Morris substituted for Young Levinsky of Lowell. Morris gave McInnis such a licking that in the sixth round the referee stopped the bout and gave Morris the decision.

In the opening bout Red Kelly of Charlestown and Tony Lorenzo of Boston boxed six fast and hard rounds and Kelly got the award.

Chick West substituted for Al Nelson and met Charley Byers in the semi-final bout, which was another exciting contest. West was given the decision at the end of eight rounds.

Matt Wells of England and Eddie Murphy of South Boston will meet in the feature bout at the Arena next Tuesday night. Joe Connelly, the Charlestown ex-amateur, and Tommy McFarland will box in the semi-final.

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BILLERICA MATHEWS WIN

DEFEATED LOWELL SOCIETY IN A TOURNAMENT AT LOCAL ROOMS LAST EVENING

The members of the Fr. Mathew Temperance society of Billerica were entertained by the members of the Mathew Temperance Institute of Lowell in the rooms of the local branch in Central street last evening. A very lively tournament of games was played and after the results were tallied it was seen that the "boys from the country" were the winners by a single point. All games were closely contested and the outcome showed that both societies were very evenly matched.

While this custom of joint gatherings was carried out up to 15 years ago, none has been held since that time, but the great success of last evening's tournament will, no doubt, result in bringing the two branches together frequently. In fact, after the manner in which the visitors were royally entertained last night, the Billerica officers extended an invitation to the Lowell society to visit their rooms in the near future. Needless to say, the invitation was immediately accepted.

The Billerica society arrived at the Lowell quarters at 7.30 o'clock, and games were immediately started. The card games were in charge of Patrick Kane, and he was assisted by Patrick Nestor. The expeditious manner in which this part of the program was carried out reflects credit on their ability as supervisors.

Those who participated in the card games were John Spillane, Fred Brown, Welch, Mahoney, James E. O'Neil, Henry J. McLaughlin, John Lyons, H. Sullivan, John O'Brien, J. Condon, Hugh Donnelly, Frank Sullivan, William Sullivan, Thomas Durkin, H. Conway, O. Flynn, Arthur Flaherty, John E. O'Neil, James P. Owens John Donnelly, E. Gannon, J. Duffy, William Quinn, J. F. McLaughlin, Frank Dwyer, Daniel McSweeney, John E. Boyle, John Dwyer, Edward Riley, John F. Gannon, Edward Collins, Albert Lutender James McKeon, F. McGuire, John Maxwell, Daniel Collins John Townsend, Edward T. Draper, William F. Boyle, P. Frank Reilly, Martin Coffey, Michael Coffey, Thomas Higgins, Louis J. Mahoney, Warren Kane, Frank Dwyer, Jeremiah Mullane, John Nestor, Joseph Mahan, James Barton, Joseph Sullivan, William Morris, George Buckley, John Hickey, Vincent McCann, Daniel McSweeney, John D. Barrett and John C. Sargent.

The bowling contest was very interesting and exciting, with the Lowell boys taking three points. The scores:

M. T. I. OF LOWELL

Ryan	80	84	86	250
Patrick	82	91	89	262
Finnegan	88	110	92	290
Sheehan	96	104	93	293
Bowers	100	83	89	270
Totals	446	472	454	1372

M.T.I. OF NO. BILLERICA

Condon	82	82	81	245
Reardon	80	90	83	253
McGrath	95	109	78	282
Trainor	94	83	86	263
Delehanty	98	93	113	304
Totals	449	457	441	1347

The pool contest went to Lowell, Moynihan and Collins played for Billerica and Welch and Tighe for Lowell.

After the pool game the tournament was declared closed and the result showed that Billerica won by the score of 10 to 9. The points were scored as follows: Billerica—Whist, seven points; cribbage, one point; pitch, one point, and bowling, one point. Lowell had one point in cribbage, four in whist, one in pool and three in bowling.

Refreshments were then served, after which cigars were passed around. President Carey of the Lowell institute and President John O'Brien of Billerica spoke. Both expressed the great pleasure resulting from frequent joint gatherings, and hoped that the close relations would continue. President Carey then called upon members of both societies to entertain, and for the remainder of the evening a most enjoyable musical program was carried out. Among those who contributed were: J. Warren Kane, John Townsend, Edward Riley, John Spillane, William Sullivan, Edward Barton, Louis Mahoney and Joseph Mahan. John Broderick and John McGlinchey rendered piano selections and the gathering dispersed to the strains of the "Old Oaken Bucket."

Great credit is due to the committee in charge comprised of the following: John J. Sullivan, chairman; Frank Sullivan, secretary; Arthur Flaherty, Thos. J. Durkin, Daniel Sullivan, Joseph Finnegan, Fred Brown, John F. Sheehan, Hugh Donnelly, Edward Draper, John J. Townsend, John O'Brien and Patrick Kane.

The Billerica society committee was comprised of President O'Brien, Carroll Delehanty and Thomas Riley.

LOWELL BOWLERS RETURN

Messrs. Thomas Kelly, Oscar Johnson, Peter Lebrun, Con Concannon and Walter Jewett, members of the Crescent bowling team and two or three other Lowell men arrived from Washington yesterday after spending several days in the Capital city. The Lowell team participated in various events conducted in the Atlantic Coast association tournament and some of the scores made may bring prize money. Mr. Kelly made the best showing of the local bowlers.

LOWELL MEN IN BOSTON

President Roach, Secretary Kennedy and Manager Lord of the Lowell baseball team went to Boston this morning for the purpose of purchasing two sets of new uniforms for the members of the team, white for home games and blue-gray for traveling. Other necessary equipment will also be purchased, President Roach being determined that his team will start out well equipped when the season opens.

Harry Lord who went to Haverhill to see his father last night, will meet Messrs. Roach and Kennedy in Boston at noon.

In the event of the Red Sox and Athletics being able to open the season in Boston this afternoon the three Lowell men will be guests of the Boston management.

Lehman on His Way

Zeke Lehman has received his transportation expenses and will start from Galveston, Tex., for Lowell today. Lehman has a longer distance to travel to this city than any other member of the team. Some of the players will not leave their homes until the latter part of the week, but every one who has been notified is expected to report for practice next Monday morning.

MARTEL TO MEET NUTE

The match between Martel and Nute for the New England championship to be played tomorrow evening at 8.15 on the Jewel alleys is engaging the attention of the local lovers of the sport and has aroused much interest among them. This match ought to be one of the most interesting ever rolled off in this city. Martel is the champion of New England while Harold Nute of Manchester is the local champion. Ten strings will be bowled off and the winner of this event gets the prize of $200. The contest will start at 8.15 tomorrow evening.

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BASEBALL SEASON OPENS

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ership of the clubs which have taken place since the close of the season of 1915. In the interim the federal league abdicated to organized baseball and there followed a general distribution of the independent league players among major and minor circuits of organized baseball.

Following this reconstruction period, new interests bought into the big leagues in Chicago, Cleveland, St. Louis, Boston and other points and strenuous efforts were made to strengthen the teams of a majority of the sixteen clubs forming the two major circuits.

In some cases the teams were virtually made over, with the result that indications point to well balanced and hard fought competition for the leading places in both the American and the National league. A number of the former big league stars who had cast their lot with the Federals will again be seen on major league diamonds, in addition to several players who won general recognition among the numerous minor league circuits. In the American league Lee Magee, "Germany" Schaefer, Cullop and Gedeon will wear New York uniforms while Deal, Crandall, Hartley, Chapman, Plank, Groom and Borton will play for St. Louis.

Stars From Fed League

The consolidation of the Chicago National and Federal league clubs gave the Cubs a number of former Federals as was the case in St. Louis where the American and Federal league organizations doubled up. Under Manager Joe Tinker, Yerkes, Hendrix, Zwilling, Seaton, Zeider, Flack, Brown and others will wear Chicago National uniforms. The New York Giants will show Benny Kauff, Rousch, Bariden and Anderson on their roster.

Hal Chase, a former American league star, will play first base for Cincinnati. Other Federal leaguers who have been signed again by major league clubs are as follows:

Boston—Allen, Knetzer, Konetchy and Reulbach.

Brooklyn—Johnston, Mowrey and Hickman.

Cincinnati—Moseley, Esmond, Schulz, Louden and Huhn.

Philadelphia—Bender.

Pittsburgh—"Art" Wilson, Smith and Moran.

Baker and Speaker Shift

In addition, two famous stars will be seen in new uniforms. Frank Baker, former star of the Athletics, will play third base and try to bat out home runs for the New York Americans while Tris Speaker, long a member of the Boston Red Sox, will play in the Cleveland outfield and add materially to the batting strength of the latter team.

SPEAKER SIGNS

Former Red Sox Fielder Plays With Cleveland This Afternoon

CLEVELAND, Ohio, April 12.—Tristam Speaker signed his contract with the Cleveland American league club at noon today and will appear in the lineup this afternoon in the opening game.

The contract is for two years. The only announcement made by the officials of the Cleveland club was this:

"Speaker has signed his contract. He signed it as he wanted it."

It could not be learned whether Speaker obtained the $5000 he sought last night as a bonus. His demands at that time were said to be $12,000 a year and $5000 of the price paid to Boston for his purchase. It is believed, however, that Speaker will get close to $30,000 for his two years' work. Whether the Cleveland club will pay it all or whether a part of it will come from Boston is not known.

As soon as Speaker signed he left the club offices at the ball park and hustled down town to be fitted out with a uniform and later went to the park for his first practice with his teammates. He will play centerfield against St. Louis this afternoon and bat fourth.

POEHLER DEFEATS RUSSELL

In 10 string matches at Lewiston last night, Paul Poehler, of Revere, Mass., defeated Emery E. Russell of Lewiston, 1050 to 1042, and Mrs. Lucy Conant of Westbrook, defeated Miss Essie Bean of Portland, 969 to 869. Poehler overcame a seven pin lead in the final string.

TRIANGLE CLUB BOUTS OFF

Announcement was made today by officials connected with the Triangle Athletic club that no more boxing entertainments will be conducted by the club until further notice. The club was to have conducted an entertainment tomorrow night but the affair has been called off.

Young Ketchell, who was to be one of the principals in the main attraction at the club tomorrow night, arrived in Lowell this morning accompanied by his manager, Bill James. Ketchell is a cousin of the late Stanley Ketchell and is said to be one of the most promising boys of his weight in the country.

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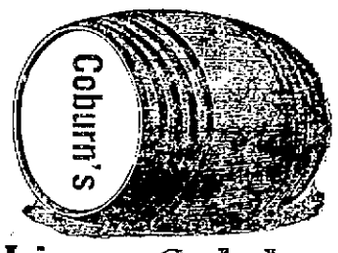

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LEAGUE SCHEDULE OUT

Lowell Opens Season at Bridgeport and Lynn Closes Season Here--Other Baseball News

The publication of the Eastern league schedule for the season of 1916 is out and already the fans are picking it to pieces showing where it might have been improved, explaining why it would have been better if certain jumps were not made, etc., but this year almost any person with ability to arrange a schedule was given an opportunity to do so with $100 in cash hung up as an incentive, but evidently many who thought that it was a simple matter to make out a schedule changed their mind after starting in on the difficult task.

Although the season opens on April 25 it will be May 10th before Lowell fans will have a chance to see the Lowell boys in action. Lowell opens at Bridgeport on the 25th and also plays there the following day. May 1 and 2 will find the Spindle City aggregation in New Haven and the following two days they will play at Springfield. Then comes two games at New London and on the 8th and 9th they will play at Hartford, which will wind up their southern tour.

The opening game of the season in this city will be when Lowell and Bridgeport meet on May 10th at Spalding park.

In glancing over the new schedule it will be found that Lowell has ten Saturday games at home, the one to be played here on Aug. 5th with New London being a double header. Lowell will be away 11 Saturdays, playing a double header with Worcester in the latter city on June 17.

On May 30th (Memorial day) Lawrence plays here in the morning and Lowell goes to Lawrence in the afternoon. June 17th Lowell plays morning and afternoon at Worcester. On the morning of July 4 Lowell goes to Lawrence and Lawrence will play at Spalding park in the afternoon. On Labor day Worcester plays here in the morning and Lowell goes to Worcester in the afternoon.

The final game of the season will take place on September 16th with Lynn playing in this city.

The following table shows the holiday and Saturday games:

Holiday Games

At Home—
May 30, a. m., Lawrence.
July 4, p. m., Lawrence.
Sept. 4, a. m., Worcester.
Abroad—
May 30, p. m., Lawrence.
June 17, a. m., p. m., Worcester.
July 4, a. m., Lawrence.
Sept. 4, p. m., Worcester.

Saturday Games

At Home—
May 13, New Haven.
May 20, Bridgeport.
May 27, Lynn.
June 10, Lawrence.
July 1, Hartford.
July 15, Springfield.
July 29, Portland.
Aug. 5, New London (two games).
Aug. 26, Worcester.
Sept. 16, Lynn.
Abroad—
April 29, Bridgeport.
May 6, New London.
June 3, Lawrence.
June 17, Worcester (two games).
June 26, Bridgeport.
July 8, Portland.
July 22, Hartford.
Aug. 12, Lawrence.
Aug. 19, Springfield.
Sept. 2, Lynn.
Sept. 9, Springfield.

Lake Is At Colby College

Fred Lake, former manager of the Boston Red Sox, and one of the best known figures in baseball, reported for duty at Waterville, Maine, this week, as coach of the Colby baseball squad. Lake has served in many capacities, as manager, captain, catcher, and even as supervising umpire in the New England league, but this is his first experience as a professional coach. He has had perhaps, more real experience than any other major league player in developing young players. As scout for several of the big league teams he has brought to light some youngsters who have proved to be prominent stars, in a large degree he is responsible for assembling the wonderful combination that brought the world's championship to the Boston team last fall. His ability will be tested to the utmost, at Colby, in developing a pitcher, for the available material does not look very promising in that line. Fred had charge of the Lowell, New England league, team for several years and his many friends in this city wish him success in his new field.

According to a Cleveland war correspondent Chick Gandil swings the heaviest bat used in the American league. His sticks weigh around 55 ounces. In the National league Larry Doyle and Jack Meyers are said to use the heaviest bats.

The St. Louis American league club is likely to have Bobby Vaughn back on its hands, since he is reported as refusing to sign a contract with Portland, to which he was transferred. The St. Louis club agreed to pay part of his salary with Portland, though this is against the Coast league rule.

Fred Tenney has taken up his new work as owner-manager of the Newark team in a most serious manner and he is not wasting any time in putting his charges through some stiff workouts.

Now we know why John Evers visited the camp of the Yankees and hobnobbed with Bill Donovan. He was seeking players for his Troy team in the New York State league—and he has landed a couple of them.

A few years ago Benny Kauff and Taylor Farrell were teammates at Huntington, W. Va. Now both are outfielders with the Giants. Farrell, however, is likely to be in the International league before the season opens.

Hugh Bedient, who has signed to play with Roger Bresnahan's Toledo team is in baseball not because he needs the money, but for the love of it. Bedient got $7000 cash down for signing a contract with the Feds, and he put the money into such good investments that it nets him a nice little income, taken in connection with what he got when working for the Red Sox

The Red Sox, world's champions, started out this afternoon to win another championship when they opened the season in Boston with the Athletics as their opponents. Owner Lannin and Boss Bill Carrigan feel that they have a team this year which is better qualified to land the pennant than last year and although many fans are of the opinion that the trading of Tris Speaker was a mistake Clarence Walker who has been secured from the St. Louis Browns ought to be able to cover the centre garden very well. With such master slab artists as Leonard, Foster, Ruth and Shore the Sox should not worry about that position. Vean Gregg is also a valuable southpaw and then there are Anderson, Mays, Pennock, McCabe, Bader and McHale who can be used as auxiliaries on the firing line.

The Yankees are confident this season, their hopes being boosted by the valuable acquisitions from the defunct Federal league and the signing of "Home Run" Baker.

Connie Mack has hopes that he may be able to do great stunts with his team this year, but fans seem to be of the opinion that this once wonderful team has been shot to pieces as a result of the trading of their star players. Mack is in reality starting in this year to build a practically new team, and the Athletics are not considered to be dangerous contenders for the pennant this year.

The principal problem that Hughey Jennings has to contend with this year is in his pitching staff. He had trouble with the pitchers last year, but nevertheless it was this team that made the Red Sox travel in order to win the pennant. In fact the club is practically the same as it was last year.

The Braves opened the season with the Dodgers at Brooklyn this afternoon. The Boston aggregation is well fortified in the pitching staff and outfield and with such men as Evers, Maranville and Red Smith in good form and Rudolph at first base there is little cause to worry about the work of the team. George Stallings states that the team this year is better than any team Boston has had since he has had charge, which is saying a great deal.

The Giants are looking very good on paper and McGraw is out for another pennant. Third base, however, is a source of worry to the manager of the Giants.

EASTERN LEAGUE SCHEDULE

April 25—Lowell at Bridgeport; Portland at Hartford; Lawrence at New Haven; Lynn at Springfield; Worcester at New London.

April—Lowell at Bridgeport; Portland at Hartford; Lawrence at New Haven; Worcester at New London; Lynn at Springfield.

May 1-2—Portland at Bridgeport; Worcester at Springfield, Lynn at Hartford; Lowell at New Haven; Lawrence at New Haven.

May 3-4—Lawrence at Bridgeport; Worcester at Hartford; Portland at New Haven; Lynn at New London; Lowell at Springfield.

May 5-6—Worcester at Bridgeport; Lawrence at Hartford; Lynn at New Haven; Lowell at New London; Portland at Springfield.

May 8-9—Lynn at Bridgeport; Lowell at Hartford; Worcester at New Haven; Portland at New London; Lawrence at Springfield.

May 10-11—New Haven at Lawrence; Bridgeport at Lowell; Springfield at Lynn; Hartford at Portland; New London at Worcester.

May 12—New London at Lawrence; New Haven at Lowell; Hartford at Lynn; Bridgeport at Portland; Springfield at Worcester.

May 13—Worcester at Springfield; New London at Lawrence; New Haven at Lowell; Hartford at Lynn; Bridgeport at Portland.

May 15-16—Bridgeport at Lawrence; Springfield at Lowell; New London at Lynn; New Haven at Portland; Hartford at Worcester.

May 17-18—Springfield at Lawrence; Hartford at Lowell; New Haven at Lynn; New London at Portland; Bridgeport at Worcester.

May 19—Hartford at Lawrence; New London at Lowell; Bridgeport at Lynn; Springfield at Portland; Worcester at New Haven.

May 20—Worcester at New Haven; Hartford at Lawrence; Bridgeport at Lowell; New London at Lynn; Springfield at Portland.

May 22—New London at Bridgeport; Hartford at New Haven; Portland at Lawrence; Lowell at Lynn, Springfield at Worcester.

May 23—New London at Bridgeport; New Haven at Hartford; Portland at Lawrence; Lynn at Lowell; Springfield at Worcester.

May 24—Springfield at Bridgeport; Hartford at New London; Portland at Lowell; Lynn at Lawrence; New Haven at Worcester.

May 25—Springfield at Bridgeport; Hartford at New London; Portland at Lowell; Lawrence at Lynn; New Haven at Worcester.

May 26—Worcester at Hartford; New Haven at New London; Bridgeport at Springfield; Lowell at Lynn; Lawrence at Portland.

May 27—Worcester at Hartford; Bridgeport at New Haven; Springfield at New London; Lynn at Lowell; Lawrence at Portland.

May 29—Hartford at Bridgeport; Springfield at New Haven; Lowell at Lawrence; New London at Portland; Lynn at Worcester.

May 30 (a. m.)—Springfield at Hartford; New Haven at Bridgeport; Lawrence at Lowell; New London at Portland; Lynn at Worcester.

May 30 (p. m.)—Bridgeport at New Haven; Hartford at Springfield; Lowell at Lawrence; Worcester at Lynn; New London at Portland.

May 31—Springfield at Hartford; Bridgeport at New Haven; Worcester at Lawrence; New London at Lowell; Lynn at Portland.

June 1—Bridgeport at Hartford; Springfield at New Haven; Worcester at Lawrence; New London at Lowell; Lynn at Portland.

June 2—New Haven at Hartford; New London at Springfield; Lawrence at Lowell; Portland at Lynn; Bridgeport at Worcester.

June 3—Hartford at New Haven; New London at Springfield; Lowell at Lawrence; Portland at Lynn; Bridgeport at Worcester.

June 5-6—Hartford at Worcester; New Haven at Springfield; Portland at Lowell; New London at Lynn; Lawrence at Worcester.

June 7—New Haven at Bridgeport; Springfield at New London; Lynn at Lawrence; Lowell at Portland; Hartford at Worcester.

June 8—Bridgeport at New Haven; Worcester at Springfield; Hartford at New London; Lawrence at Lynn; Lowell at Portland.

June 9—New London at Bridgeport; Hartford at New Haven; Lowell at Lawrence; Worcester at Lynn; Springfield at Portland.

June 10—New London at Bridgeport; New Haven at Hartford; Lawrence at Lowell; Springfield at Lynn; Worcester at Portland.

June 12—Hartford at Bridgeport; New London at New Haven; Lawrence at Lowell; Springfield at Lynn; Worcester at Portland.

June 13—Bridgeport at Hartford; New Haven at New London; Lynn at Lawrence; Springfield at Lowell; Worcester at Portland.

June 14—New Haven at Hartford; Bridgeport at New London; Lowell at Lynn; Portland at Worcester; Springfield at Lawrence (2 games.)

June 15—Hartford at New Haven; Bridgeport at New London; Springfield at Lawrence; Lynn at Lowell; Portland at Worcester.

June 16—Bridgeport at New Haven; New London at Hartford; Portland at Lawrence; Springfield at Lynn; Lowell at Worcester.

June 17—Hartford at Bridgeport; Portland at Lawrence; Portland at Lynn (a. m.); New Haven at New London; Lawrence at Worcester (2 games); Springfield at Lynn (p. m.)

June 19—Lynn at Bridgeport; Lawrence at New London; Portland at New Haven; Hartford at Springfield; Worcester at Lowell.

June 20—Lynn at Bridgeport; Springfield at Hartford; Portland at New Haven; Lawrence at New London; Worcester at Lowell.

June 21—Lawrence at Hartford (2 games); Portland at Bridgeport; Worcester at New London; Lynn at Springfield; New Haven at Lowell.

June 22—Portland at Bridgeport; Lawrence at Hartford; Worcester at New London; Lynn at Springfield; New Haven at Lowell.

June 23-24—Lowell at Bridgeport; Lynn at Hartford; Portland at New London; Lawrence at Springfield; New Haven at Worcester.

June 26—New Haven at Lynn (2 games); Lowell at Bridgeport; Springfield at Hartford; Worcester at Lawrence; Portland at New London.

June 27—Lowell at New London; Bridgeport at Springfield; New Haven at Lynn; Lawrence at Portland; Hartford at Worcester.

June 28—Lowell at New London; Bridgeport at Springfield; New Haven at Worcester; Hartford at Lynn; Lawrence at Portland.

June 29—Lowell at New Haven; New London at Springfield; Bridgeport at Worcester; Hartford at Lynn; Lawrence at Portland.

June 30—Springfield at New Haven; Hartford at Lowell; Lawrence at Lynn; Bridgeport at Portland; New London at Worcester.

July 1—Springfield at New Haven; Lynn at Lawrence; Hartford at Lowell; Bridgeport at Portland; New London at Worcester.

July 3—New London at New Haven; Worcester at Springfield; Hartford at Lawrence; Bridgeport at Lowell; Lynn at Portland.

July 4 (a. m.)—Hartford at Bridgeport; New Haven at New London; Worcester at Springfield; Lowell at Lawrence; Lynn at Portland.

July 4 (p. m.—Bridgeport at Hartford; New London at New Haven; Lawrence at Lowell; Lynn at Portland; Springfield at Worcester.

July 5—New Haven at Bridgeport; Hartford at Springfield; New London at Lawrence; Worcester at Portland; Lynn at Lowell.

July 6—Springfield at Bridgeport; New Haven at Hartford; New London at Lawrence; Worcester at Lynn; Lowell at Portland.

July 7—Lowell at Portland; Springfield at Bridgeport; Hartford at New Haven; Worcester at Lawrence; New London at Lynn.

July 8—New Haven at Bridgeport (2 games); Springfield at Hartford; Worcester at Lawrence; New London at Lynn; Lowell at Portland.

July 10—Worcester at Bridgeport (2 games); New London at New Haven; Hartford at Springfield; Lawrence at Lowell; Portland at Lynn.

July 11—Worcester at Bridgeport; Springfield at Hartford; Portland at Lowell; New Haven at New London; Lawrence at Lynn.

July 12—New London at Hartford; Worcester at New Haven; Portland at Lawrence; Bridgeport at Springfield; Lowell at Lynn.

July 13—New London at Hartford; Worcester at New Haven; Portland at Lawrence; Bridgeport at Springfield; Lynn at Lowell.

July 14-15—Springfield at New London; Lynn at Bridgeport; Springfield at Lowell; Portland at Worcester; New Haven at Lawrence.

July 15-18—Lawrence at Bridgeport; Worcester at Hartford; Lynn at New London; Springfield at Portland; New Haven at Lowell.

July 19—Lawrence at Bridgeport; Worcester at Hartford; Lynn at New London; New Haven at Lowell; Springfield at Portland.

July 20-21—Lowell at Bridgeport; Lynn at Hartford; Lawrence at New London; New Haven at Portland; Springfield at Worcester.

July 22—Bridgeport at Springfield; Lowell at Hartford; Lawrence at New London; Lynn at Worcester; New Haven at Portland.

July 24—Springfield at Bridgeport; Lawrence at New Haven; Lowell at New London; Worcester at Lynn; Hartford at Portland.

July 25—Springfield at Bridgeport; Worcester at Lynn; Lowell at New London; Lawrence at New Haven; Hartford at Portland.

July 26—Hartford at Lawrence (2 games); New London at Springfield; Bridgeport at Lynn; Lowell at New Haven; Worcester at Portland.

July 27—Lowell at New Haven; New London at Springfield; Bridgeport at Lawrence; Portland at Lynn; Hartford at Worcester.

July 28—Bridgeport at Lawrence; Portland at Lynn; Hartford at Worcester; New London at New Haven; Lowell at Springfield.

July 29—Bridgeport at Lynn; Lawrence at Worcester; Portland at Lowell; Hartford at Springfield; New London at New Haven.

July 31—Hartford at New Haven; Worcester at New London; Lawrence at Lynn; Bridgeport at Lowell; Portland at Springfield.

August 1—Portland at Springfield (2 games); New Haven at Hartford; Worcester at New London; Lynn at Lawrence; Bridgeport at Lowell.

August 2—Portland at Hartford; New Haven at Springfield; New London at Lawrence; Bridgeport at Lowell; Lynn at Worcester.

August 3—Portland at Hartford; New Haven at Springfield; New London at Lawrence; Bridgeport at Lynn; Lowell at Worcester.

August 4—Springfield at Bridgeport; Portland at Hartford; Lynn at Lawrence; New London at Lowell; New Haven at Worcester.

August 5—Portland at Bridgeport; New London at Lowell (2 games); New Haven at Hartford; Springfield at Worcester; Lawrence at Lynn.

August 7—New London at Lawrence; Portland at New Haven; Lynn at Bridgeport; Hartford at Springfield; Lowell at Worcester.

August 8—Bridgeport at Hartford; Lynn at New Haven; Portland at Springfield; Lowell at Lawrence; New London at Worcester.

August 9—Bridgeport at Hartford; Lynn at New Haven; New London at Springfield; Worcester at Lowell; Lawrence at Portland.

August 10—Springfield at New London (2 games); Hartford at Bridgeport; Lynn at New Haven; Worcester at Lowell; Lawrence at Portland.

August 11—Lawrence at Lowell; Bridgeport at Hartford; Worcester at Portland; Lynn at New London; Springfield at New Haven.

August 12—Worcester at Portland; Bridgeport at Hartford; Springfield at New Haven; Lynn at New London; Lowell at Lawrence.

August 14—New London at Worcester; Lowell at Hartford; Bridgeport at Portland; Lawrence at Springfield; Lynn at New Haven.

August 15—Lynn at New Haven; New London at Worcester; Lowell at Hartford; Lawrence at Springfield; Bridgeport at Portland.

August 16—Springfield at New London; Hartford at Lynn; Lawrence at Worcester; Lowell at New Haven; Bridgeport at Portland.

August 17—New Haven at New London; Bridgeport at Lynn; Lowell at Springfield; Hartford at Portland; Lawrence at Worcester.

August 18—Hartford at Portland; New London at New Haven; Bridgeport at Lawrence; Worcester at Lynn; Lowell at Springfield.

August 19—Hartford at Portland; Bridgeport at Lawrence; Worcester at Lynn; New London at Springfield; Lowell at New Haven.

Aug. 21—Bridgeport at Lynn; Lowell at New London; Hartford at Lawrence, Springfield at New Haven; Portland at Worcester.

Aug. 22—New Haven at New London; Hartford at Lawrence; Bridgeport at Lynn; Portland at Worcester, Lowell at Springfield.

Aug. 23—Lynn at Worcester; Bridgeport at New London; Portland at Lawrence; New Haven at Springfield; Hartford at Lowell.

Aug. 24—Portland at Lynn; Lawrence at Springfield; New Haven at Worcester; Bridgeport at New London; Hartford at Lowell.

Aug. 25-26—Lawrence at Bridgeport; Hartford at New London; Worcester at Lowell; New Haven at Springfield; Lynn at Portland.

Aug. 28—New London at Bridgeport; Lynn at Hartford; Lowell at Portland; Worcester at Springfield; Lawrence at New Haven.

Aug. 29—Bridgeport at Worcester; New London at Hartford; Lawrence at New Haven; Lynn at Springfield; Lowell at Portland.

Aug. 30—Bridgeport at Worcester; Lowell at Portland; New London at Hartford; Lynn at Springfield; Lawrence at New Haven.

Aug. 31—Portland at Bridgeport; Lawrence at Hartford; Lynn at Springfield; Worcester at New Haven.

Sept. 1—Springfield at Lynn; Portland at New Haven; Lawrence at Hartford; Bridgeport at New London; Lowell at Worcester.

Sept. 2—Springfield at Lawrence (2 games); Bridgeport at New London; Portland at New Haven; Lowell at Lynn; Hartford at Worcester.

Sept. 4 (a. m.)—Portland at New London; Lynn at [illegible]; New Haven at Bridgeport; [illegible] at Hartford; Worcester at Lowell.

Sept. 4 (p. m.)—Bridgeport at New Haven; Hartford at Springfield; Portland at New [illegible]; Lawrence at Lynn; Lowell [illegible].

Sept. 5—Lowell at Hartford; Bridgeport at New London; New Haven at Lawrence; [illegible] at Springfield.

Sept. 6—Springfield at Hartford; Portland at Bridgeport; [illegible] at New London; New Haven at Lowell.

Sept. 7—Springfield at New London; Portland at Hartford; New Haven at Lawrence; Worcester at Bridgeport (2 games); Lynn at Lowell.

Sept. 8—Portland at Hartford; Springfield at New London; New Haven at Lawrence; Lowell at Lynn; Worcester at Bridgeport.

Sept. 9—New London at Hartford; Lowell at Springfield; Bridgeport at Lawrence; Worcester at Portland; Lynn at New Haven.

Sept. 11—Springfield at Lynn; New London at Hartford; Lawrence at Worcester; Bridgeport at New Haven; Portland at Lowell.

Sept. 12—New London at Bridgeport; Springfield at Lowell; New Haven at Portland; Lynn at Worcester.

Sept. 13—Springfield at Lowell; New London at Bridgeport; Worcester at Lawrence; Hartford at Lynn; New Haven at Portland.

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Sept. 16—New London at Portland; Lawrence at Worcester; Lynn at Lowell; Hartford at New Haven; Bridgeport at Springfield.

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Last year at the Atlantic coast bowling tournament an ornate ball was used by Governor Walsh to open the tournament, and is now among the prized possessions of the ex-governor. The ball used by Governor McCall this year will be of simple design, but will be an ornament for the governor's den after having been used on the alleys.

The bowlers of Lynn and those outsiders who compete on the opening night of the tournament, are planning to give Gov. McCall a big reception. The present governor is enthusiastic in all branches of sport and takes especial interest in bowling.

The prize list for the bowlers to shoot at this year, will be as large as any previous tournament conducted by the national duck and candle pin congress. Although the entry fee at $1 per man is smaller than ever before so as to permit everyone to enter, the entry is so large that the prize list does not suffer. The prizes will be distributed to many instead of a few this year. The first prize will be large enough to attract all the star bowlers among the money hunters, and will be graded down so that many of the teams and individuals will go away from the tournament with money jingling in their pockets.

All the alleys owners throughout New England have been provided with entry blanks and any bowler may obtain them by inquiring at the alley most patronized, or by sending to the secretary, C. A. Barrett, 599 Washington street, Boston, Mass.

The Lowell bowlers who will participate in the tournament are making preparations for the event and it is expected that this city will be well represented.

FOR SWIMMING RACE

HARRY PITTS ASKED TO OFFER CUP FOR FRESH WATER SWIM FROM NASHUA TO LOWELL

Harry Pitts, the well known auto supply man received a communication from Gus Wise, president of the L Street Swimming club of Boston yesterday, in which the latter asks Mr. Pitts if he will offer a suitable trophy for a fresh water swim to be arranged for Lowell this coming summer.

Wise purposes to have a race in the Merrimack river from Nashua, N. H., to the Vesper boathouse some time during July. He states that if Henry F. Sullivan and any other three swimmers residing in Lowell wish to take the matter up he will match Charlie Toth, Meehan and two other Hub natators against them.

Wise, it will be remembered is the gentleman who backed Toth in the race from Nantasket beach to Race Point, Provincetown, last summer, which Henry F. Sullivan of this city won. Ever since that time Wise has been particularly desirous of arranging a match race over a long distance route between Sullivan and Toth.

Following the Race Point swim Toth remained at the swimming game while Sullivan retired. Toth accomplished some very remarkable feats in salt water and made a record for endurance. At the present time Sullivan is recognized as the champion long distance swimmer of America.

Mr. Pitts has the matter of offering a cup for the race under consideration but it is doubtful if Sullivan will consent to race Toth or any other mermen in fresh water, although he holds a record over the course from Nashua to Lowell. The Lowell boy is at his best in salt water and feels confident that he can defeat any swimmer in the world over an open sea course. He is backed up in his assertions by no less a personage than Sam Richards, the former title holder, who says that Sullivan is without a peer in the swimming game in this country.

If Wise is so anxious to match his L Street proteges against Sullivan, it is very probable that Mr. Pitts would consent to back the local boy in a long distance, open sea swim.

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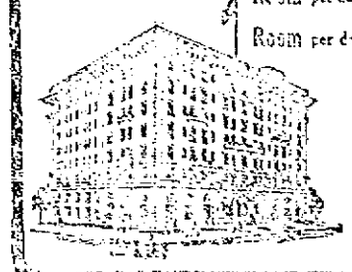

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Stock Market Closing Prices April 11

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NEW YORK MARKET

Stocks	High	Low	Close
Allis Chalmers	28¾	28¾	28¾
Am Beet Sugar	72½	72½	72½
Am Can	61⅞	60½	60½
Am Can pf	111¾	111¾	111¾
Am Car & Fn	68⅞	68⅛	68⅛
Am Cot Oil	53½	53½	53½
Am Hide & L pf	52	51¾	51¾
Am Locomo	77¾	77½	77½
Am Loco pf	102½	102	102½
Am Smelt & R	102½	101¾	101¾
Am Smelt & R pf	112¼	112¼	112¼
Am Sugar Rfn	111	110	110½
Anaconda	37⅞	36⅝	36⅞
Atchison	103¼	103⅛	103¼
Baldwin Loco	107½	105½	105½
Balt & Ohio	87⅛	87⅛	87⅛
Cast I Pipe Com	21¼	21¼	21¼
Cast I Pipe pf	51¾	51¾	51¾
Cent Leather	54	53⅛	53⅛
Ches & Ohio	62	61⅞	61⅞
Chi & Gt W pf	35⅞	35⅞	35⅞
Chic R I & Pac	19⅝	18¼	18⅝
Chile	23⅛	23	23
Col Fuel	45¼	44½	44¾
Corn Products	20¼	20	20
Corn Products pf	93¼	93	93
Crucible Steel	94½	92½	92½
Del L & W	220	220	220
Den & Rio G	10	10	10
Den & Rio G pf	19	19	19
Dis Secur Co	48⅛	47½	47½
Erie	36⅝	36¼	36¼
Erie 1st pf	51¾	51½	51¾
Erie 2d pf	43	43	43
Gen Elec	167⅞	167	167⅞
Goodrich	80	78¾	78⅞
Gt North pf	120	120	120
Gt N Ore ctf	43¾	43¼	43⅜
Int Met Com	17½	17⅛	17⅛
Int Met Com pf	74¾	74½	74¾
Int Mer Marine	21¾	20⅞	20⅞
Int Mer Marine pf	75¼	73¾	74½
Int Paper pf	47	47	47
Kan City So	26	25⅝	25⅝
Lehigh Valley	77¾	77¾	77¾
Maxwell	74¾	73	73
Maxwell 1st	86¾	86¾	86¾
Maxwell 2nd	57½	56½	56½
Mex Petroleum	111¾	109¾	109⅞
Missouri Pa	45	45	45
Nat Lead	67½	67⅛	67⅛
N Y Air Brake	142½	142½	142½
N Y Central	103	102⅞	102⅞
Nor & West	122⅝	122⅛	122⅛
No Am Co	67½	67½	67½
North Pacific	112⅝	112¼	112¼
Pennsylvania	57	56⅞	57
Pressed Steel	52	52	52
Ry St Sp Co	30	30	30
Reading	85½	84¾	85
Rep Iron & S	51½	51	51¼
Rep I & S pf	109	109	109
St Paul	94½	94½	94½
Sloss-Sheffield	55	55	55
So Pacific	97¾	97¾	97¾
Southern Ry	20⅝	20⅛	20⅛
Southern Ry pf	58½	58	58½
Studebaker	142⅝	141½	141¾
Tenn Copper	52¾	52⅝	52⅝
Texas Pac	10	10	10
Union Pacific	132⅞	132½	132½
Union Pac pf	83	83	83
U S Ind Alcohol	163½	160¾	160¾
U S Rub	53⅞	52⅞	52⅞
U S Rub pf	110¾	110¾	110¾
U S Steel	85½	84¾	84⅞
U S Steel pf	117¾	117¾	117¾
U S Steel 5s	104½	104½	104½
Utah Copper	53¾	52⅝	52⅝
Va Chem	44	44	44
Westinghouse	65½	63⅞	64
Western Un	90¼	89¾	89¾

WAR GROUP HIGHER

ADVANCES IN EARLY TRADING—NEW HAVEN DROPPED—CLOSING IRREGULAR

NEW YORK, April 11.—The only exception to the general firmness of today's opening on the stock exchange was New Haven, which declined a point. Most other issues, active and otherwise, were fractionally higher, while Crucible Steel led the war group with an advance of 1¼. U. S. Steel opened with a sale of 1500 shares at a slight gain over yesterday's close. Coppers and metal issues as a whole seemed disposed to make favorable responses to remarkable trade conditions, but Marines were relatively quiet. Trading became light and tentative after the initial offerings, prices showing more irregularity.

New Haven continued to decline, falling 2⅝ to 60⅜, on active dealings and unsettling prices elsewhere. The stock's heaviness was accomplished by rumors of disappointing March earnings. There were recessions of 1 to 3 points in Marines, Goodrich, Petroleums and Industrial Alcohol common and preferred. New York, Chicago & St. Louis second preferred broke 6½ to 50. These were partly counterbalanced by the strength of Crucible, Cuban-American Sugar and U. S. Smelting, the latter making a new record at 75⅞. Trading dwindled later, the market coming to a standstill at noon. Bonds were irregular, Canadians displaying strength with further pressure against Anglo-French flyes.

Trading became more lethargic in the afternoon, leading stocks tending towards lower levels, while some obscure issues advanced. Ingersoll-Rand was conspicuous in the latter class, rising 25 to the new record of 300.

Prices yielded again in the final hour, the decline being simultaneous with disturbing advices from Washington. The closing was irregular.

MONEY MARKET

NEW YORK, April 11.—Mercantile paper 3@3½. Sterling: Sixty day bills, 4.72⅝; demand 4.76 7-16; cables 4.77. Francs: Demand 6.03¾; cables 6.02¾. Marks: Demand 72½; cables 72⅝. Kronen: Demand 12⅝; cables 12⅞. Guilders: Demand 42⅝; cables 42¾. Lires: Demand 6.55; cables 6.51. Rubles: Demand 31⅛; cables 31¼. Bar silver 62½. Mexican dollars 48½. Government bonds steady. Railroad bonds irregular.

Time loans firmer; sixty days 2¾; ninety days 2¾; six months 3.

Call money firm; high 2, low 2, ruling rate 2, last loan 2, closing bid 2, offered at 2.

BOSTON MARKET

RAILROADS

Stocks	High	Low	Close
Bos & Maine	43¾	43½	43½
N Y & N H	62⅛	60½	61¾

MINING

Adventure	5	4¾	4¾
Algomah	1⅝	1½	1½
Allouez	71	70¾	71
Arcadian	8½	8	8
Ariz Com	9	9	9
Cal & Ariz	74¼	73¾	74¼
Cal & Hecla	655	652	655
Chino	55⅛	55¼	55¼
Copper Range	65¾	65½	65½
E. Butte	13	12¾	13
Franklin	9	9	9
New Idria	16¼	15¾	15¾
Granby	90	89½	90
Isle Royale	28¼	28¼	28¼
Hancock	16	16	16
Indiana	4½	4½	4½
Lake	17⅝	17½	17½
Miami	35¾	35¾	35¾
Mass	14	13⅞	14
Mayflower	4	4	4
Michigan	3½	3½	3½
Mohawk	100	100	100
Nevada	17¾	17⅝	17⅝
Nipissing	7¼	7⅛	7⅛
North Butte	20¼	20	20
No. Lake	1½	1½	1½
Old Colony	3½	3¼	3¼
Old Dominion	72	69	71
Osceola	94½	94	94
Quincy	95	95	95
Ray Con	24¼	24⅛	24¼
Santa Fe	3	3	3
Shannon	9⅞	9⅛	9⅞
Shattuck	34⅞	34½	34½
Superior	17	17	17
Superior & Boston	3⅞	3⅝	3⅞
Tamarack	53⅝	53½	53½
Trinity	8¾	8¾	8¾
Tuolumne	33	33	33
Utah Cons	14½	14⅜	14½
Utah Metal	10¾	10⅛	10⅛
Winona	4⅞	4½	4¾
Wolverine	58½	58½	58½

TELEPHONE

Am Tel & Tel	128⅞	128¼	128¼

MISCELLANEOUS

Am Pneumatic	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛
Am Pneu pf	15⅞	15¾	15¾
Am Ag Chem Com	68	68	68
Am Woolen	49¾	49¾	49½
Am Woolen pf	99	98½	98¾
American Zinc	97¼	95¼	95¾
Butte & Superior	97¾	95½	95⅞
United Fruit	149	147¾	148¾
United Sh M	57⅞	57¼	57⅞
Swift & Co	130½	130½	130½
U S Smelting	78¼	74¾	77½
U S Smelting pf	53¾	53½	53½
Utah-Apex	5	5	5
Ventura	10⅞	9½	10⅞

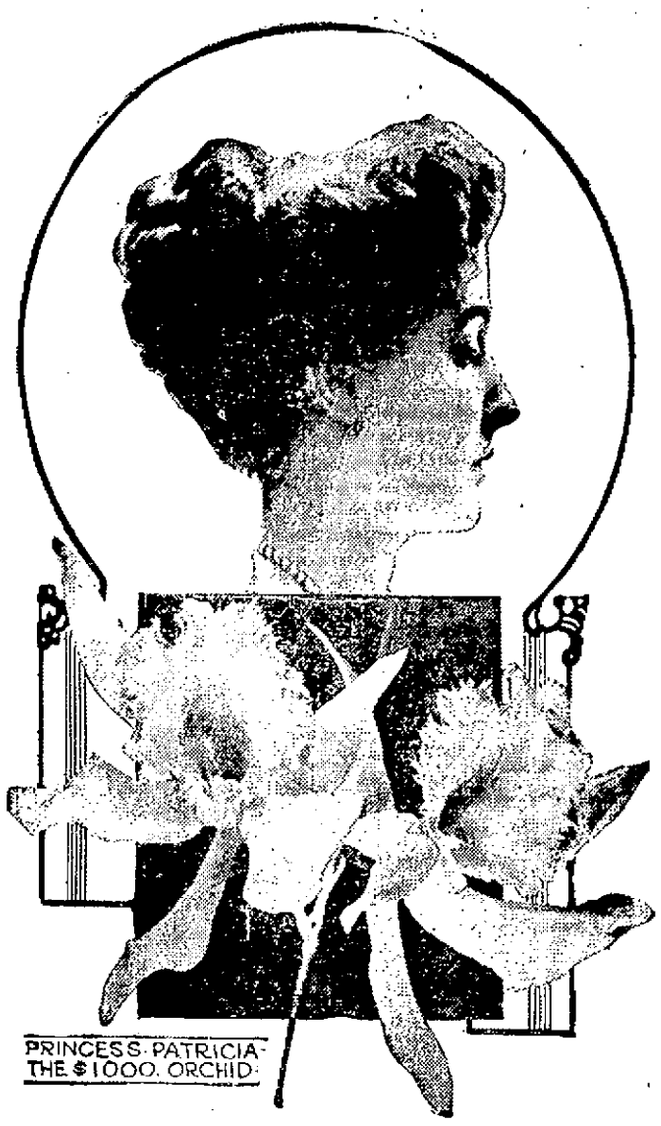
BOSTON MARKET

BOSTON, April 11.—Local mining shares were in light demand during the early hours today. Values ruled somewhat higher, Mohawk advancing 1 to 100. Zinc stocks continued their activity.

EXCHANGES

NEW YORK, April 11.—Exchanges $533,471,463; balances $37,614,517.

PRINCESS PATRICIA OF CONNAUGHT HAS A $1000 ORCHID NAMED FOR HER



PRINCESS PATRICIA—THE $1000. ORCHID

The Princess Patricia of Connaught received a decoration at the flower show in New York—a beautiful silver medal. With true royal hauteur she made no sign, merely continuing to look marvelously handsome. The Princess Patricia, be it explained, is an orchid, the most wonderful orchid in the world. When Clement Moore of Hackensack, N. J., who grew the orchid, saw how remarkable it was and unlike anything ever produced before he decided to change its family name of Cattleya to that of the distinguished visitor from Canada, who had announced her intention of visiting the flower show on its last day—April 12th, "Canada day." In the presence of the real "Princess Pat" the princess' floral namesake will be auctioned off to the highest bidder, the proceeds to go to the Canadian Red Cross. Its value is about $1000, but it is expected to bring more for the sake of war sufferers. Princess Patricia is the daughter of the Duke of Connaught, governor general of Canada. She is a first cousin of King George of England.

LOWELL TEACHER KILLED

Rev. Bro. Bernardin, superior of the Marist brothers of this city, has received word to the effect that a former teacher at St. Joseph's college, this city, Bro. Ignace, has been killed in the French trenches, while two other former teachers at the same school, Bros. Antoine Louis and Gonzalves were wounded, probably mortally.

The late Brother Ignace, whose family name was Regis Aoustet, was in charge of the third grade of St. Joseph's college in 1910. At the close of the school year he was transferred to Plattsburg, N. Y., from there going to Haverhill and thence to Manchester, N. H., where he was stationed at the outbreak of the war. After having received permission from the superior general of the order, he left the school and joined his former regiment in France. According to the news received, he was killed at one of the battles on Crows' road on March 9.

Bro. Antoine Louis' family name is Louis Billard. He was stationed in Lowell in 1911, and left for the war scene at the outbreak of hostilities, and was soon promoted to sergeant. Bro. Gonzalvus was in Lowell for about 11 years and during his last two or three years as a teacher at St. Joseph's college, he also had charge of the school choral. He left Lowell for the war front a year ago last November, and soon after his arrival in France, he was officially appointed interpreter for the French army and messenger, his course of duty being between the English and French armies. He carried messages from one army to another, sometimes on horseback and sometimes on a motorcycle. Often too, he travelled on a bicycle. Although no information concerning his injuries has been received, it is believed the young man was wounded while on his way to the British army camp.

Bro. Gonzalvus is favorably known in this city and the news of his injuries will bring sorrow to his many acquaintances. His family name is Jean Baptiste Besacier. According to the information received at the local Marist home both Bro. Antoine Louis and Bro. Gonzalvus are confined to a hospital at Bexiers, France.

NEWS OF THE LEGISLATURE

Merrimack River Resolve Passed to Be Engrossed—Lowell Men Urge Textile School Money

Special to The Sun

STATE HOUSE, Boston, April 12.—Although the special redistricting committee has not taken any final action relative to the plan proposed by Representative Bowser of Wakefield for rearranging the lines of the seventh Middlesex senatorial district, it was made evident at a meeting of the committee yesterday afternoon that there is little likelihood of its being adopted.

Representative Lewis of Lowell, who is a member of the special committee, is said to be working hard for the plan, because it would put wards 5 and 9 in Lowell, both of which at present are in representative districts represented by democrats, into a senatorial district which would be rock-ribbed republican. Rep. Victor F. Jewett is also putting in a lot of quiet work in favor of the Bowser plan, but notwithstanding their efforts the committee is not likely to adopt it.

Boston & Maine

Representative Jewett was forced to take another defeat in the house yesterday afternoon, the lower branch of the legislature giving a final reading to the bill repealing the act of last year providing for a reorganization of the Boston & Maine railroad system. The vote on passing the bill to be engrossed was 130 to 89. It will now have to go back to the senate, and its fate there will be watched with much interest, particularly in view of the fact that the minority stockholders' association gave a dinner last night at a Boston hotel to which all of the members of the senate were invited.

In yesterday's vote the members from Lowell and vicinity were recorded as follows:

For the repeal bill: Representatives Lewis, Murphy and O'Connell of Lowell and Bunting of Methuen.

Against the bill: Representatives Achin, Crosby and Jewett of Lowell, Colburn of Dracut.

Merrimack River

The resolve extending for three years the time within which the treasurer and receiver-general may issue bonds to the amount of one million dollars for improving the Merrimack river, provided the federal government makes a like sum available, was passed to be engrossed in the senate yesterday afternoon without debate and without a division vote. As this resolve has already passed the house, it will probably be laid before Gov. McCall state this afternoon, and should be signed before the end of the week.

Lowell Textile School

President A. G. Cumnock, Clerk Jas. T. Smith and Principal Charles H. Eames of the Lowell Textile school were before the house ways and means committee, yesterday, urging that committee to put back in the bill the appropriation of $2000 for the teaching of foreign languages, which was stricken out by the committee on education.

They repeated the story which they told previously to the education committee, that South American trade is being "gobbled" by Germany, Spain and Portugal, because business men in those countries are able to send to the southern continent salesmen who can talk with local merchants in their own language, and Massachusetts cotton mills are at a serious disadvantage because such salesmen are not available.

HOYT.

CIVIL WAR NURSE DEAD

HARTFORD, Conn., April 11.—Mrs. Mildred S. Brooks, a Civil war nurse, who served with the army of the Potomac, died here today. She was born at Mauch Chaunk, Pa., 69 years ago.

HORN IS TRANSFERRED

MAN WHO ATTEMPTED TO BLOW UP BRIDGE AT VANCEBORO NOW IN PLYMOUTH JAIL

BOSTON, April 11.—Werner Horn, who confessed that he attempted to dynamite the international bridge at Vanceboro, Me., on Feb. 2, 1915, claiming it was an act of war, was ordered transferred from the jail at East Cambridge to the Plymouth jail by the federal court today. The change was sought by counsel for Horn, on the ground that more congenial quarters were desired. The prisoner is awaiting trial on charges relating to alleged illegal transportation of dynamite in connection with the Vanceboro explosion.

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BOARD OF INSANITY

Reorganization of That and Public Service Commission Provided in Bills Reported by Legislature

BOSTON, April 11.—Reorganization of the public service commission and of the board of insanity were provided for in bills reported by a legislative committee on commissions today. Instead of a membership of five appointed for five years each, the public service commission would consist of three members with terms of three years each, and salaries $1000 a year less than those now paid. The expenses of the commission, except the salaries of its members, would be paid by the several public service corporations, instead of by the state.

The committee recommended that the board of insanity be replaced by a bureau of insanity, to consist of a chairman to receive $7500 annually, and four unpaid members. The three members of the present board receive $5000 each.

INDICTMENTS DISMISSED

BOSTON, April 11.—Indictments of three years' standing against W. B. Wheeler and Stillman Shaw, fiscal agents of the North American Rubber Co., who were charged with using the mails in a scheme to defraud, were dismissed by the federal court today. This action, it was stated, followed a finding that the grand jury which returned the indictments had withdrawn, at the direction of a prosecuting attorney, an indictment against a third party.

CENSORSHIP OF MAILS

TORONTO, Ont., April 11.—Government officials refused today to make any statement concerning the censorship of mails to the United States, but it has been well known that for months at least there has been more or less censorship in the postal department. This applies to all mail with the exception of newspapers coming from offices of publication.

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50 KILLED IN BATTLE

REVOLUTIONARIES OF HONG KONG ATTACKED GOVERNMENT SOLDIERS

SHANGHAI, April 12.—Three hundred armed revolutionaries of Hong Kong yesterday attacked 200 government soldiers at the Anglo-Chinese boundary. As 400 men came up to reinforce the latter the revolutionaries scattered. The casualties on both sides amounted to 50 killed and a large number wounded.

The China Mail reports fighting between the regular forces of Lung Chi-Kuang, governor of Kwang-Tung province, in the Shakee district, as a result of which it is estimated that a hundred were killed and many hundreds wounded.

$100,000 LOSS BY FIRE

WILMINGTON, Dela., April 11.—Fire today seriously damaged the plant of the Christiania Lumber & Manufacturing Co., destroyed an ice house of the Cool Spring Ice & Coal Co., and the goat hair establishment of D. F. Campbell, in which the fire started. The total loss is estimated at $100,000.

DAYLIGHT SAVING SCHEME

ST. JOHN, N. B., April 11—This city may adopt the daylight saving scheme. The business men have endorsed it and today are preparing to circulate a petition asking the city council to put the clocks ahead an hour from April 30 to Sept. 30.

ROOSEVELT "JOSHES" WHEN CROWD CHEERS HIM AT FLOWER SHOW

COLONEL ROOSEVELT AND GENERAL WOOD AT THE FLOWER SHOW

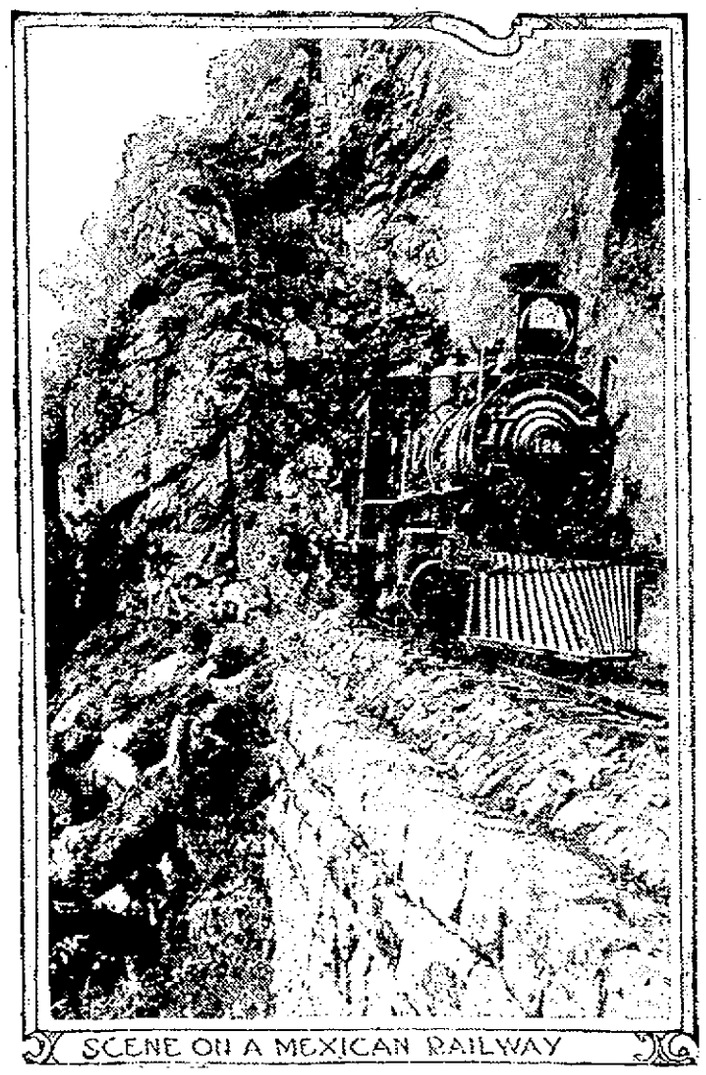
When Colonel Roosevelt visited the flower show in New York one of the officials of the show presented him with a red, white and blue boutonniere which he had prepared himself and which he pinned in his buttonhole. This was made of cornflowers for the blue and red and white carnations. The Roosevelt party made its way directly to the tea garden, where General Leonard Wood was waiting to receive them. There were cheers and shouts for the colonel all along the way. Commissioner Woods asked the colonel on the way up in the elevator how it seemed to be so popular. "I might say, with the Duke of Wellington, 'How they will yell when I am hanged!'" returned Mr. Roosevelt. The picture shows Colonel Roosevelt and General Leonard Wood, his close friend, at the flower show.

WAITE, ARRAIGNED, DENIES MURDERING RICH FATHER-IN-LAW

WAITE "SNAPPED" ON WAY TO COURT

Treated as a common felon for the first time since his arrest, Dr. Arthur Warren Waite, who confessed to poisoning his millionaire father-in-law, John E. Peck, was transferred from Bellevue hospital, New York, and locked up in a cell in the Tombs, where he will remain until the end of his trial. Before being committed to the Tombs, Dr. Waite was arraigned before Judge Crain in general sessions on an indictment charging him with murder in the first degree. Through his counsel, Walter R. Deuel, he pleaded not guilty, with leave to withdraw the plea within ten days.

SUCCESS OF VILLA PURSUIT MAY HANG ON RAILWAY USE



SCENE ON A MEXICAN RAILWAY

Frank admission was made by army officers on the border that without the use of the Mexican railroads a material strengthening of the forces or the establishment of a new base and line of communication, the movement could proceed but a short distance further unless the advanced forces chasing Villa cut loose from their base. Hope that permission to use the railroad to Chihuahua yet may be obtained had not been abandoned. If that permission is denied, however, it is not probable that General Funston will immediately insist on using more troops, but it is believed he probably will suggest to the war department the movement of the line of communication to some point where the base will be much nearer to the field of operations. Picture shows a scene on railway in northern Mexico.

THE MAN IN THE MOON

The late April blizzard possessed considerable vigor, dampening the ardor of those who were all ready to welcome the gentle spring maiden, putting a temporary blight on the busy end of "dress-up" week, and effectually knocking out the well known sprinkling cars, which, by the way, I'm half inclined to think are as much a curse as they are a blessing. But we may expect anything from this blessed month—from snowstorms to the softest showers; from March blasts to August zephyrs. Nice little month, too, with lots of cheer and patriotic spirit. Remember that mid-April snowstorm of 35 or more years ago, when it snowed two nights and one day and piled three feet into the valleys of southern New Hampshire? Good little month, too, and is usually on her job in getting mother earth ready for the husbandman and the flowers of May. Yes, the glory of an April day may be uncertain, and she may cut up didos; but, after all, I guess we love her just the same.

Tallarico

Since Pasquale Tallarico, pianist, will be under management next season, his appearance in Colonial hall this evening is likely to be his last in Lowell for probably many years. Music lovers who have not heard him can hardly afford to permit the present opportunity to pass unimproved.

The wonderful playing of this young artist on his two former visits here is recalled with delight by all who attended his recitals. The program to be rendered is of such character and excellence as to call forth most favorable comments from musicians and lovers of the pianoforte generally. That the pianist will do his part is a certainty. Take it from me; it will be well worth your while to take this musical event in.

Bowling Alleys

Owners of bowling alleys cannot be too vigilant in keeping the game clean and free from objectionable features. As in local baseball, it is observed that money is more and more figuring not only among many taking part in the bowling game, but also among those on the sidelines. The offering of purses of money for young ladies and gentlemen to bowl for may be termed business enterprise on the part of the manager; but the fact remains that the acceptance of money under these circumstances by these young ladies and gentlemen, while no crime, places them without doubt in a position that later on they might regret. Why the lure of the dollar anyway, as necessary to the life of the bowling game? I have followed the bowling game for several years, and am over seven. I know of the occasional disposition of bunches of bowlers putting up a little pool on the side, and also that many a private bet is settled by way of balls and pins on public alleys. Of course, this is against the rules of the alleys, but is as difficult to stop as a little quiet baseball pool. But the other night I dropped in to a bowling resort and was treated to something new to me, but perhaps not to regular patrons. Six or more young men, some having their hair cut in the latest style, were engaged in bowling. Most of them were betting on their ability to knock down nine pins or better in each box. With placing and collecting their bets it took quite a while to bowl a string. Bets began with a quarter, but later as the game warmed up a half and a dollar was the rule, and I did see a few two dollar wagers made. A few spectators got interested, and they were not slow in backing this or that man bowling with his money. I was rather surprised to see such open manifestation, and looked to see it stopped; but it was still going on when I left. It is bad enough to see the effect of money inducements upon the game, the indifference of many in the interest of amateur sport, but certainly the toleration of open betting upon the alleys is the limit. Yet no more than should be expected. An old-timer like myself protests against it in the interest of decency and clean sport.

Tribute to a Faithful Dog

During the first two years of his life Jack was inclined to the life of a tramp, yet never strayed from the limits of the city. For some time he followed a team of the Brewery ahont, and later transferred his affections to a coal wagon; but one morning very early on Moody street he took a notion to respond to the invitation of a carrier of the morning paper and he found so many cats to chase that for a long time he reported every morning near the church of St. Jean's for the purpose of engaging in that delightful exercise. I guess he thought more of that than he did of the boy at first; but one morning he kind of hung around the house after breakfast as though he were turning something over in his mind. Anyway, he made up his mind to stick for good, evidently concluding that he had found a good home, where there were plenty of kids, and where he doubtless could get enough to eat. So, for nearly 15 years Jack made his home with this family of which he was a well loved member, dying but three weeks ago, full of years and sincerely mourned. With the exception of one season, which he spent in New Hampshire, Jack paid his license to the city clerk regularly. Once some thief stole a fine collar from him, and thereafter he was quite content to wear less costly ones.

Now, Jack had no pedigree to boast about, but somewhere back there must have been a pretty good strain of dog. I guess, after all, Jack was a mongrel. We used to think that there was some coach and a little pointer, but one thing was certain: there was a large part of bull in his make up. It showed in his brindle spot, his strong jaw and in his deep, powerful chest; in his ability to fight, the business-like way he went about it, and in his kind disposition, especially among children. Jack watched for the chance to do little acts of kindness, to show his affection and always to defend with something akin to jealousy his intimate friends. After Jack came into the family two babies came, too, and he learned what it was to be pulled and hauled. He loved those children. Charlie Hamilton, the cop, used to declare that Jack was the best dog in Pawtucketville. Only last summer he would romp in the yard with the kids, but the last winter brought on an enfeebled state due to the infirmities of age, and so he willingly paid the debt he owed to Nature.

THE MAN IN THE MOON.

INDUSTRIAL AND STORE NEWS

It is very probable that a number of local woolen mills will follow the lead of the American Woolen company in increasing wages.

Members of the Bon Marche Employes' Mutual Benefit association held a meeting last evening in the basement of the store, at which it was voted to hold the annual dancing party of the association in May.

William D. Corcoran, president of the U. S. Cartridge Co. Baseball league and others interested in lending a helping hand to the national pastime at the munitions works, are busily engaged at the present time making out a league schedule.

No tickets will be required for the graduation exercises of the evening classes of the Lowell Textile school to be held tonight in the assembly hall of the Moody street institution. All those interested in the school and its work are extended a cordial invitation to inspect the school and attend the closing exercises.

A number of routine meetings were held in the various union rooms last evening. In Middle street, the Building Laborers', Dresser Tenders', Metal Polishers' and Brewery Teamsters' unions convened and transacted a grist of minor business. Carpenters' union held a meeting in the Runels building.

President Samuel Gompers of the American Federation of Labor has notified all central labor unions of the United States of the decision of the federation to ask the central labor unions, acting for 2,000,000 members to have a new anti-injunction law introduced in all of the state legislatures, in the belief that efforts will be made by "powerful interests to curtail the rights of labor unions by means of legislative action." The proposed law would prevent the issue of an injunction in strikes unless necessary to prevent injury to property, and provides that restraining orders shall not bar picketing and boycotting. It is provided that there shall be no indictments or combinations made with a view to securing wage increases or shorter hours.

Increase For Local Mills

The Bay State mill of this city, situated in Lawrence street, and the Beaver Brook mill in Collinsville are owned by the American Woolen company. Employes of both mills will receive a 10 per cent. increase beginning Monday, April 17. The Bay State mill employs about 400 hands and the Beaver Brook mill about 150. The notices from the Boston office were received late yesterday afternoon.

Wage Increase in Lawrence

The action of the Arlington mills of Lawrence in granting an increase in wages to all employes beginning next Monday will probably have its effect on the cotton mills of this city. It will be remembered that the Lawrence mills were the first to grant a wage increase a few months ago, and their lead was followed by textile industries all over the state.

Cartridge Trouble Settled

That the U. S. Cartridge company intends to play fair with its employes in all matters is shown by Supt. Gerald Cahill's presence at a meeting of fixers held yesterday afternoon. Several of the day fixers quit work when five of their number were discharged and they demanded that the five men be reinstated. Supt. Cahill addressed the men and within a short time the difficulty was amicably settled.

Bigelow-Hartford Co.

The Bigelow-Hartford Carpet Co. will turn over the new club house located in the building formerly used as an office, in Clinton, Mass., to its male employes in about two weeks. A meeting of employes is to be held today at which officers of the athletic association will be chosen. The house is to include a reading room, pool and billiard room, a large assembly room and a small gym with shower baths. A kitchen is also provided on the first floor.

A few mule spinners employed at the Appleton mills walked out on strike yesterday, but their grievance was quickly adjusted by the mill officials and they returned to work.

Secretary C. E. Dane states that the painters have not asked for shorter hours. They are willing to work 44 hours a week.

Organizer James Melaven of Worcester and Charles Cullen, vice president of the Brotherhood of Lafayette, Ind., will be in Lowell soon to help settle the existing differences.

The Arlington mills of Lawrence yesterday posted notices in their mills that a general increase in wages will commence in all mills beginning Monday. The increase will affect 5000 employes. For the past few days over 200 employes of the Arlington mills have been out on strike.

KING STAYED IN TRENCH

Belgian Ruler Insisted He Was a Soldier, Wounded Invalid Claims at Portland

PORTLAND, Me., April 12.—Franz Martron, a Belgian soldier, on sick leave after being three times wounded, left here last night for New York to meet his sister. He said that while in the hospital the queen of Belgium fed him from a teaspoon. He also said he heard the king refuse to leave a trench when urged to do so by an officer, because he insisted that he was a soldier.

APPEARED IN WOBURN COURT

Myer Byarsky of this city appeared in the district court in Woburn this morning to answer to complaints charging him with assault and battery on Azi Fleet of Lawrence and also for dealing in junk in Wilmington without a license. Frank Goldman, Esq., of this city appeared for the defendant and after Byarsky was given a hearing the case of assault and battery was dismissed and he was found not guilty on the complaint of selling junk without a license.

BAY STATE STREET RY. CO.

INTERRUPTION OF SERVICE

Owing to reconstruction of the Chelmsford street bridge, at the B. & M. Depot, the following arrangement will be effective THURSDAY, APRIL 13th, 1916—until further notice:

CHELMSFORD STREET and CENTRE cars will terminate at the bridge. Leaving time will be seven (7) mins later than from Merrimack square.

Extra cars will operate between MERRIMACK SQUARE and the Bridge, via APPLETON ST.

Regular WESTFORD ST. cars will run via MIDDLESEX, BRANCH and CORAL STS., operating on their regular schedule.

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H. F. FARRINGTON, Supt.

Lowell, Mass., April 11, 1916.

LEGAL NOTICES

MORTGAGEE'S SALE

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Samuel M. Danielson to Giovanni Scala, dated October 11, 1911, and recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Book 474, Page 150, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described on Thursday, May 11th, 1916, at two o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage.

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated in the Town of Wilmington and said County of Middlesex, being lots numbered one hundred sixty-nine (169), one hundred seventy (170) and one hundred seventy-one (171) on a plan of Maplebrook Park drawn by the Silverman Engineering company, dated April 17, 1911, and recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Book of Plans 25, Plan 67, to which plan reference is hereby made for a more particular description, together with all my right, title and interest in the fee to the middle of Bay and Fir streets adjoining said lots, and subject to the right of the public to use said streets as thoroughfares, and subject to restrictions of records.

Containing in all seven thousand five hundred square feet more or less.

Said premises will be sold subject to any and all tax titles, unpaid taxes, municipal liens and assessments, if any.

$100 will be required to be paid in cash at the time and place of sale. Other terms at sale.

GIOVANNI SCALA,
Mortgagee and present holder of said mortgage.

A12-19-26

IN BOSTON—The Sun is on sale every day at both news stands of the Union station in Boston. Don't forget this when taking your train for Lowell.

SISTERS OF ASSUMPTION

MOTHER SUPERIOR SAYS THAT ORDER WILL NOT OCCUPY READE PLACE, AS REPORTED

The rumor to the effect that the mother house of the Sisters of the Assumption would be transferred from Nicholet, Que., to this city, which has been in circulation for the past few days and which has been published in a Boston newspaper, was emphatically denied by the superior of the order in this city yesterday.

It was stated that arrangements had been made for the transfer of the mother house to this city and that the old Reade property in Lakeview avenue would be the new quarters of the order. The superior of the Lowell branch of the order, who is in charge of St. Louis' convent, in conversation with the writer, stated that the home of the Sisters of the Assumption at Nicolet, Que., is one of the best of its kind on this continent. It has been located there for the past sixty years and consists of four large granite buildings, a sisters' home, where 120 sisters are being taken care of; a large chapel, a novitiate and a normal school. The number of pupils at the novitiate and normal school is about 250.

The sister said the Reade property is finely situated, but is not large enough to accommodate the large number of sisters and pupils who are being taken care of at the mother house of the order, and again, she said it is ridiculous to believe that the sisters would abandon the home they have been occupying for the past sixty years. She concluded by saying that as far as she knows the story published in a Boston newspaper is nothing but a canard. The order of the Sisters of the Assumption was founded in Canada and its general quarters will remain in the Dominion. Chrysologue Picard, who purchased the property last January, was also seen by the writer and he denied any knowledge of the proposed deal. Next month he will remove with his family to the stone mansion formerly occupied by the Reade family, and in the course of the summer he will erect several dwelling houses on the land surrounding the homestead.

BASKETBALL COMMENT

The next game in the series between the Crescents and Lowell Five has not been definitely decided upon.

President Andrew Roach of the Lowell Baseball club and Secretary James Kennedy attended last night's game. The fine points of the contest were explained to them by "Jack" Donnelly.

LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Ellen Blinkhorn, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Richard Blinkhorn, of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the thirteenth day of April A. D. 1916, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-eighth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.
John A. Crowley, Attorney.
M29-A5-11

CITY INSTITUTION for SAVINGS

Under the provisions of Section 43, Chapter 590 of the Acts of 1908, the depositors of the City Institution for Savings are requested to present their books of deposit for verification during the month of April 1916.

FRANK W. HURD, Treas.

VERIFICATION OF DEPOSIT BOOKS

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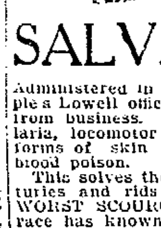

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8-ROOM CAMP for sale, at Mountain Rock; five min. to car line. Inquire James F. Daly, 14 Rogers st.

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FOUR HOUSE LOTS for sale in upper Highlands, on Fairview st. Call 114 A st.

18 ACRES A No. 1 land for sale, in East Chelmsford. Includes large barn and wagon shed. 10 min. walk to Gorham st. car. Tel. 4793-M.

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TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

Southern Div. To Boston Lve.	Arr.	From Boston Lve.	Arr.
5.25	6.50	2.55	3.38
6.25	7.26	6.00	6.58
6.47	7.32	7.15	8.24
z6.48	7.53	7.50	8.55
6.57	8.00	n8.21	9.34
7.21	8.05	8.00	9.30
s7.35	8.49	9.30	10.68
7.56	8.57	11.30	12.09
8.53	9.37	12.30	1.05
z9.20	10.34	1.05	1.47
9.38	10.22	2.00	3.16
10.15	11.25	3.00	3.47
10.55	11.46	b3.44	5.06
12.15	1.05	4.00	4.50
1.50	2.30	4.14	5.24
2.30	3.27	5.00	5.50
n3.30	4.10	b5.21	6.31
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4.17	5.26	b5.51	7.10
5.25	6.15	6.14	7.23
6.23	7.30	8.00	8.55
s6.02	7.16	8.30	9.08
6.22	7.05	9.45	10.40
8.15	8.57	10.30	11.30
9.45	10.32	11.40	12.25

Portland Div. To Boston Lve.	Arr.	From Boston Lve.	Arr.
6.55	7.32	z6.35	8.06
n7.54	8.45	9.16	10.31
9.40	10.57	10.30	11.53
z10.10	12.07	11.50	12.55
12.06	1.12	3.30	4.40
z1.37	2.40	5.14	6.13
3.43	4.41	6.03	7.05
5.15	6.44	6.30	7.56
7.03	8.15	9.50	11.14
10.25	11.35		

Sunday Trains

Southern Division

6.47	7.50	8.45	9.47
7.21	8.05	9.30	10.08
8.25	9.31	11.30	12.09
9.14	10.06	1.00	1.59
10.20	11.17	5.20	6.21
2.32	3.35	7.15	8.20
5.10	6.00	8.00	8.38
6.23	7.19	8.30	9.09
8.15	8.57	9.20	10.25
8.45	9.53	10.20	11.35
9.45	10.30		

Portland Division

8.00	9.27	8.00	9.18
12.10	1.16	12.00	1.04
3.50	5.06	3.30	4.45
5.45	7.06	5.20	8.38
8.55	10.04	8.45	9.47

b Via Bedford, s Via Salem Jct., z Via Wilmington Jct., n not run on Holidays. _ Saturdays only.

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5 All numbers commencing with five, are located in the upper Highlands and Middlesex Village.

6 All numbers commencing with six, are located in Centralville.

7 All numbers commencing with seven, are located in Pawtucketville.

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CLARA BARTON CONFLICT

No Barton Tablet in Red Cross Building at Washington—Mrs. Logan Plans Memorial

Special to The Sun

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 12.—No memorial tablet in honor of Clara Barton will be placed in the splendid $800,000 building now in process of erection for headquarters of the American Red Cross. Not only did Miss Mabel Boardman, executive officer of the Red Cross emphatically so inform The Sun correspondent today, but an hour later, Mrs. John A. Logan, president of the Clara Barton Memorial association made the same statement with equal emphasis. But the sentiment prompting the two statements was as far apart as the north and south poles. Both women knew whereof they spoke and had made ready the weapons of war. Miss Boardman has spiked the wheels by preparing a resolution directly aimed at any possible attempt to so honor Miss Barton, which she will offer at the meeting of the executive board to be held in New York tomorrow. Mrs. Logan—who was vice president of the organization at the time Miss Barton was its president—has made a counter move by organizing a distinct Clara Barton Memorial association and doesn't propose to ask any odds. She scorns the idea of suing for favor from a society which she feels owes its existence to the patriotic heroism and devotion of Miss Barton. Mrs. Logan asserts unhesitatingly that the Clara Barton Memorial association has entirely different plans for its memorial and does not desire to place a tablet in the new building.

Mrs. Logan and Miss Boardman represent the highest authority of the two factions and both today talked freely and forcefully regarding the matter. The only point of agreement seems to be that no Barton tablet is to be placed in the new Red Cross headquarters. From that point the parting of the way is abrupt and becomes tragic to those who realize the noble work done by Clara Barton in the past, and the great work now being done by the organization—and both in the name of the Red Cross!

Miss Boardman's Statement

Seated at her desk in the temporary Red Cross building Miss Boardman said in substance: "The new building is a memorial to all loyal women of the Civil war. It would be unfair to give especial honors to any one of them. If, howeceh, a tablet should be placed there for any one it would not be for Clara Barton. Mrs. Barlow, wife of Gen. Barlow, should be the first. Mrs. Barlow died of camp fever while nursing the soldiers, and Gen. Barlow gave the first large contribution for the new building. Dorothea Dix should come next, for her humane and heroic work and there are 500 more who would take precedence of Clara Barton, for they sacrificed their all, and in some cases their lives in the work. But we feel that the building in itself is a sufficient memorial and that no discrimination should be made in favor of any one. Miss Boardman referred to the controversy and investigation that came at the time of the reorganization of the society and the resignation of Miss Barton. "I regret the investigation did not continue to a finish," said Miss Boardman, "it would have made our position clear to the world."

The resolution, which follows a preamble and a recital of the proposed inscription reads: "Resolved: that no memorial inscription, tablet or monument of any nature to individuals be placed in or on the Memorial to the Heroic Women of the Civil war." The memorial inscription reads: "A memorial built by the government of the United States and patriotic citizens to the women of the north and south held in loving memory by a now united country. That their labors to mitigate the sufferings of the sick and wounded in the war may be perpetuated this memorial is dedicated to the service of the American Red Cross."

In answer to the direct question "Is the resolution specifically aimed to prevent the possible placing of a memorial to Miss Barton in the new building?" Miss Boardman replied, "That is its main purpose, although I do not believe any tablet or memorial should be placed there. Moreover," added Miss Boardman significantly, "if that reason should prove insufficient, we are prepared to offer objections on other grounds." Miss Boardman did not hesitate to withhold from Miss Barton the credit usually accorded her for heroism, noble work on battlefields and as promoter and founder of the Red Cross in this country.

Mrs. Logan's Views

Mrs. John A. Logan, seated in her library far up on the Heights overlooking the city, gave to Clara Barton all the honor, credit and affectionate appreciation that one woman could possibly heap upon another. "Clara Barton," said she, "has done more for humanity than any other woman in the world. She founded the Red Cross in America; she began what is now called Red Cross work when the 6th Massachusetts regiment was attacked in Baltimore at the beginning of the Civil war. It was Clara Barton, then a department clerk, who came forward and nursed and fed them. She enlisted the sympathy of others for them. She gave up her work here and followed them to the battlefield, working for all who suffered regardless of partisanship. She had the approval and support of the quartermasters department of which General Rucker was the head, but she worked unaided except by inexperienced helpers. She sacrificed everything for the good of the wounded. She was active in service at Bull Run, Fair Oaks, Harper's Ferry and other great battles. Her clothes were drenched with the blood of the wounded, but she worked on. After the war she working untiringly under appointment of the government to locate the 80,000 men whose fate was unknown. It was she who brought about the acceptance of the treaty whereby the American Red Cross was recognized by the Geneva convention." Mrs. Logan referred to the forced abdication of Miss Barton as president of the Red Cross as "persecution" and was unsparing in her denunciations of the methods used.

Referring to the charges of misused funds and no vouchers filed Mrs. Logan said: "Just imagine expecting a woman to leave a dying soldier while she jotted down an account! Those were days of humanity and not of bookkeeping. Miss Barton never misused a penny."

In reply to the question of whether the Clara Barton Memorial association desired to place a tablet in her honor in the new building Mrs. Logan replied: "As long as the Red Cross insists on eliminating Clara Barton so long will the loyal women of the United States decline to have anything to do with the Red Cross organization. We have in mind the erection of a memorial which shall be grand enough to properly pay Miss Barton the tribute she deserves. No specific plan has been decided on but the suggestion of a Greek temple costing about $250,000 and in which would be placed suitable tablets seems to meet with favor. The plan is to organize branches of the association and we have many assurances that army posts all over the country will contribute generously. It will be distinctively a Red Cross memorial, in honor of Clara Barton, the founder and first president of the American National Red Cross—who gave her life to the work."

Perhaps the whole situation is best summed up by the views as expressed by Miss Boardman and Mrs. Logan regarding certain proposed memorial windows for the new structure. Said Miss Boardman: "It is proposed to have three beautiful memorial windows. One will be donated by the Daughters of the Confederacy; one by the Relief Corps and the third—which will be the most beautiful of all will be a joint gift of the two organizations just named." On the same subject Mrs. Logan said: "It will never be done. The Relief Corps will never contribute memorial windows in a building dedicated to the official use of the Red Cross while that organization denies to Clara Barton the honor which is hers."

And so the breach widens—if it were not already limitless before the present question arose. RICHARDS.

THE VALUE OF A CLEAN SKIN IN MAINTAINING HEALTH.

Snakes throw off their outer skin once a year. Human beings change their skin perhaps nine times in a year; that is, they have a new skin about once in six weeks.

The value of a clean skin in maintaining health is not properly understood by the majority of people. Cleanliness is a part of health. You cannot be healthy unless you are clean not only externally, but also internally.

The blood should also be assisted occasionally, like the skin, in throwing off poisons so that the system may not get clogged and leave a weak spot for disease germs to enter the system. When the blood is clogged we suffer from what is commonly called a cold.

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What to Do for Itching Skins

Eczema, ringworm and other itching, burning skin eruptions are so easily made worse by improper treatment, that one has to be very careful. There is one method, however, that you need not hesitate to use, even on a baby's tender skin—that is, the Resinol treatment. Resinol is the prescription of a Baltimore doctor, put up in the form of Resinol ointment and Resinol soap. This proved so remarkably successful, that thousands of other physicians have prescribed it constantly for over 20 years.

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ELKS' BANQUET

Officers Installed With the Usual Ceremonies Last Night

Before a large attendance of members and visiting guests, the annual installation of officers of Lowell lodge of Elks was held last evening in the Elks home in Middle street. The ceremony was elaborate and impressive and was conducted by many grand lodge officers from all over New England. The installing officers were Grand Exalted Ruler John D. Shea of Hartford, Conn., and Grand Esquire Michael F. Culliney, Grand Leading Knight James A. Sullivan, Grand Inner Guard Cornelius Keating, Loyal Knight Andrew Badracco, Lecturing Knight John Joyce and Grand Secretary John Connolly, all of Boston.

WILLIAM SCOTT
Exalted Ruler

The following were inducted into office: Exalted ruler, William Scott; esteemed leading knight, Eugene Y. Brown; esteemed loyal knight, Joseph Haggerty; esteemed lecturing knight, C. Fred Gilmore; secretary, Christopher J. Hagan; treasurer, Charles H. Molloy, P.E.R.; tyler, Edwin W. Killpartrick; trustee for three years, Frederick A. Pilling; Bro. William D. Regan, P.E.R., was elected and installed to fill the unexpired term of Trustee John J. Duff, P.E.R., whose resignation as trustee was accepted by the lodge; representative to the grand lodge, John J. Lee, alternative representative to the grand lodge, John H. Farrell, P.E.R.

At the conclusion of the exercises the members and visitors assembled around the festive board and enjoyed an elaborate banquet. This was followed by a program of singing and speech-making with many humorous stories intermingled. The program went well into the evening and afforded splendid entertainment for all.

FLOOD IN PORTLAND, ME.

BLAST OPENS RIVER ON SITE OF HIGH SCHOOL—EXCAVATION HAS FOUR FEET OF WATER

PORTLAND, Me., April 12.—Men blasting granite on the Cumberland-avenue side of the excavation for the high school building, yesterday afternoon, struck a water course and a stream spurted up and soon filled the entire space to a depth of four feet.

A meeting of the building commissioners was at once called. They found that the men had been driven out of the excavation, and arrangements were made for the opening of a drain into the main sewer in the morning. As a precautionary measure, in view of a possible panic, Mayor Chapman ordered the closing of the adjoining Chestnut-street school until the water is under control.

LOWELL GIRL'S PRANK

DRESSED AS BOY AND SAW PRIZE FIGHT AT WOONSOCKET—HAS HAD ENOUGH

You may call this scandal or what you will, but one of Lowell's fairest daughters donned a boy's attire and attended the Flemming--Boyle bout at Woonsocket, R. I., Monday night and let it be understood that she went the full gamut. Just to be sure that her makeup was all right she went into a down town tobacco store, purchased a cigaret, lighted it (don't know how she scratched the match) talked with the boys and went away.

Her experience in the store filled her with confidence and she allowed that she would go through all right. She had provided herself with a suit of clothes that was almost a perfect fit. She wore a wig, cap pulled well down, loose-fitting overcoat and heavy boots. Only one Lowell man who went to Woonsocket to see the Canadian boy pass the sleep pill to Phinney Boyle knew that a Lowell girl was taking the long chance of wearing boy's clothes to see a fight in another state.

"I wanted to see one fight," she said, "and now I am satisfied. I thought I would enjoy the uppercuts, hooks, jabs and one thing or another that I had heard my brothers talk about, but I don't want any more of it. Of course I wanted to see the Lowell boy win, but one couldn't help but admire the boy from Montreal. I think he was just fine."

"Did you really enjoy the trip and your experience?" she was asked.

"Y-e-s," she drawled, "but I wouldn't go again. The cigarets made me sick and the talk wasn't what one would hear in church.

GUARD CHILDREN AGAINST WORMS

Pinworms or stomach worms are some of the most dreaded diseases of children.

Trade Mark

Signs of worms are: Deranged stomach, swollen upper lip, sour stomach, offensive breath, hard and full belly with occasional gripings and pains about the navel, pale face of leaden tint, eyes heavy and dull, twitching eyelids, itching of the nose, itching of the rectum, short dry cough, grinding of the teeth, little red points sticking out on tongue, starting during sleep, slow fever.

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HOME CLUB REUNION

TENTH ANNUAL MEETING A GREAT SUCCESS — OFFICERS ELECTED

The tenth annual reunion and banquet of the Home club was held in the Richardson hotel last evening, and the affair like all previous meetings of the organization was a success in every particular. While the membership of this once famous club is annually decreasing the spirit of the surviving members is as young as ever and when the "boys" get together they certainly do enjoy themselves. Some years ago the Home club occupied beautiful quarters in the Wyman's Exchange, and entertained many distinguished persons there. The club was not only prominent in social circles but was also well known politically. Last evening several of the members entertained with stories of the affairs of long ago and in fact all entered into the spirit of the meeting and assisted in making it one of the best in the history of the club.

Shortly after 7 o'clock Pres. Buckley called to order and after extending a cordial welcome to all read letters of regret from Elwyn W. Lovejoy of Lowell, Benj. Agnew of Williamsport, Pa., and R. P. Cunningham of North Adams. He also announced that two members, Arnold S. Welch and J. Barlow Thomas, had died during the year. The members sat down to a very tempting menu, after which a fine musical program was carried out. Walter Clough sang several pleasing selections and George W. Fenton also entertained with solos. Other members of the party contributed and of course "Ye German Brothers" was given. A banquet or in fact any affair conducted by the Home club would not be complete without the singing of this piece and last evening the seven members who sang the number were in excellent voice. John Buckley presided at the piano.

The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Burton Plaisted; vice-president, Wallace Parkin; secretary, A. G. McCurdy, and treasurer, John W. Crawford.

Those present last evening were: John Buckley, Arthur J. Dion, Charles A. Gale, Geo. W. Fenton, John W. Anderson, Wallace Parkin, Dr. Ralph W. Parker, John W. Crawford, Burton W. Plaisted, Dr. Otis Allen, M. S. Clark, Walter P. Wiley, Orrin R. Griffin, Ed. A. Gerry, A. G. McCurdy.

STOLE SHOES FROM CAR

Eight Boys to Appear in Court on Friday on Serious Charge—Shoes Recovered

Eight boys whose ages range from 14 to 16 years and another boy, who is 17 years of age, have been summoned to appear in police court Friday morning to answer to complaints charging them with breaking and entering and larceny. The boys under 17 years will be tried at the juvenile session, while the older boy will be arraigned at the regular session of the court.

According to the police, employes of the Federal Shoe Co. were loading a freight car with cases of shoes one week ago Saturday, the car being on a siding in the rear of the shoe shop. During the afternoon four boys entered the car and stole four or five pairs of shoes.

The following morning one of the boys who entered the car Saturday afternoon informed some other boys, and they went to the car and took more shoes. That afternoon another entrance was made into the car and several pairs of shoes taken.

The matter was reported to the police and Inspector Walsh and Sergeant Petrie were assigned to the case. They found a clue which caused them to question a young man and the latter told a story which incriminated his companions.

Practically all of the property taken was recovered by the police. Several pairs of shoes were hidden in a chimney in a house in Butler avenue, while the others were found in other houses.

INSPECTING LICENSED SALOONS

The members of the license commission completed their inspection of the first and fourth class licensed saloons this morning and now all that remains to pass the inspection of the commissioners is the brewery and clubs. This is the annual inspection preceding the granting of licenses.

TUTTLE DENIES CHARGE

NEW HAVEN, April 12.—Ex-State Senator Dwight W. Tuttle, when informed last night that Louis H. Wolter of Bridgeport had accused him of breaking up the Wolter home, issued a statement denying the charge. Mr. Tuttle admitted that he had done some business with Mrs. Wolter as an attorney, but declared that Wolter's accusation was based on "jealousy."

Mr. Tuttle is mentioned as a republican candidate for lieutenant-governor at the approaching state election.

SEPARATE G.O.P. CONVENTIONS

ATLANTA, Ga., April 12.—That Georgia republicans will send two separate delegations to the national convention in Chicago was made virtually certain today by the gathering in Macon and Atlanta of delegates to separate republican conventions, each claiming to represent the republican party in this state. Selections of delegates and perfection of a state organization was the principal business before each convention.

EVENING SCHOOL SYSTEM

Normal School Will Assist in Bringing About Many Improvements—Conferences Planned

The project of improving the evening school service is soon to be included among the activities of the Lowell Normal school. The suggestion was made some time ago and has been taken up with great interest by Principal Mahoney of the normal school who has but recentlyy come to Lowell and who has had experience which not only makes him fully aware of the need of improvement of the evening school service but has also fitted him in an especial manner to make valuable contributions to an enterprise of this kind.

In the school report for the year 1914 it was remarked by the superintendent that "there should be some professional training for evening school teachers," and the hope was expressed that a beginning along this line, at least to some slight degree, would be made in the immediate future.

With the consent and approval of the school committee, the matter of improving the instruction in evening schools was discussed by Supt. Molloy with the state commissioner of education, in Boston, and it was agreed that something would be done just as soon as circumstances would permit; it was conceded that, just as many important agencies were employed, and had been employed for years, for the improvement of methods of administration and instruction in the high and elementary day schools, some definite and practical course should be planned and followed for the improvement of the administration and instruction in evening schools, these schools having attained a place of great importance in cities which have a large non-English speaking population.

Toward the close of last year it was suggested to the commissioner of education by the superintendent of schools that the project of improving the evening school service might be included in the activities of the normal school, and in view of the fact that the suggestion has met with favor by the principal of that school, it looks as if the result might be very gratifying.

Conference Was Held

Recently a conference was held at the Lowell Normal school at which were present James A. Moyer, director of the department of university extension; John J. Mahoney, principal of the state normal school; Bernard M. Sheridan, superintendent of the Lawrence schools and Hugh J. Molloy, superintendent of the Lowell schools, and it was decided to hold a general meeting to which all would be invited who are likely to be interested in the work and at which there would be a general discussion of the proposition, and that this general meeting would be followed by conferences of a professional character for those who are immediately engaged in the work of the evening schools.

Following out the above suggestions, the opening meeting has been arranged for on the evening of Thursday, April 27, in the Lowell Normal school and this meeting will be addressed by Dr. David Snedden, commissioner of education; D. Chauncey Brewer of the North American Civic League for Immigrants, and Patrick F. Sullivan, president of the Bay State Street Railway company. The object of this meeting is to interest all citizens who have a knowledge of the subject in the problem of Americanizing the immigrant as a phase of preparedness. And in arranging this meeting it was taken into consideration that the cities and towns of the Merrimack valley offer an exceptional field for this kind of work. Relative to the conferences which will follow the same authorities who have instigated the movement have already organized several professional conferences for teachers during the month of May at times which will be convenient for those connected with the work of the evening schools.

PEACE LEAGUE MEETING

PUBLIC INVITED TONIGHT TO HEAR HON. SAMUEL J. ELDER, MR. HUDDELL AND CONCERT

The Massachusetts branch of the League to Enforce Peace, of which ex-President Taft is the president, will hold a public meeting this evening in Associate hall at 8 o'clock, to which the Lowell public is cordially invited.

The objects of the league and various phases of what it hopes to accomplish at the close of the present war will be discussed by prominent speakers, including Hon. Samuel J. Elder, former counsel for the United States in the fisheries arbitration at The Hague, and an authority on international questions, and Arthur M. Huddell, former president of Boston Central Labor union and a prominent labor leader. Mayor James E. O'Donnell will preside.

There will be a concert by the well known Beethoven quartet of Boston, commencing at 7.30 and selections throughout the evening. The league expects that Associate hall will be taxed to capacity.

STRIKERS RETURN TO WORK

BAYONNE, N. J., April 12.—Nearly all of the 200 Tidewater Oil Co. employes who struck yesterday returned to work today and statements issued on behalf of the company and by the police indicated that the difference had been settled.

LOWELL ORCHESTRAL SOCIETY

The second annual concert by this fine organization will be held Sunday, April 16, at the Playhouse. This organization is at present the best body of musicians that can be gotten together in Lowell. It comprises practically all of the instruments that are necessary for the performance of high class music. Not many cities of the size can boast of such an organization. The individual members give their time and services free. Liddishaw Littlefield, the soprano, will be the soloist of the occasion.

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On Next Friday, April 14th, 1916, at 4 O'Clock P. M.

I will sell at absolute auction sale, to whomsoever will bid the most, a certain parcel of land containing about eight acres, more or less, located on either side of St. Mary's Catholic church, about 100 yards from the Collinsville mills, directly on the line of Lakeview avenue electrics. The plot has a frontage on Lakeview avenue of about 600 feet, and is especially attractive for both farm uses or building lots; there is a cellar all in and completed, on a part of the land.

Terms: $500 must be paid to the auctioneer just as soon as the property is struck off. ANTHONY WALSH, Mortgagee.

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Wednesday Evening, April 12, at 7.45 P.M.

PUBLIC MEETING

LEAGUE TO ENFORCE PEACE

HON. WILLIAM HOWARD TAFT, President American Branch

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Concert Commencing at 7.30 by THE BEETHOVEN QUARTET of Boston

The Speakers Will Include:

HON. SAMUEL J. ELDER, Counsel for the United States in the Fisheries Arbitration at The Hague.

ARTHUR M. HUDDELL, Former President Boston Central Labor Union.

HON. JAMES E. O'DONNELL, Mayor, will preside and speak.

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MUNICIPAL COUNCIL ACTS ON $60,000 LOAN ORDER

Commr. Duncan Opposed to $1,000,000 High School—$60,000 for School Additions

At a meeting of the municipal council held this forenoon Commissioner Duncan went on record as in favor of a high school not to exceed the amount of the original appropriation of $700,000. He said he thought the public in general was not in favor of a $1,000,000 school and that the public paid the freight.

Mr. Duncan's statement along this line was the result of a question asked him by Commissioner Putnam relative to the power plant plans for the proposed school group. Mr. Duncan said the contract was not yet ready for final discussion, and Mr. Putnam suggested that the architect be advised not to proceed further with his plans until the engineer has his plans in readiness. No contract has yet been signed with an engineer though the council has gone on record as in favor of Engineer Kimball. In addition to

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FIRE IN A MILL

Lively Blaze at Waterhead Mills Did Much Damage

A serious fire was prevented at the Waterhead mills in Lawrence street this noon by the prompt and successful work of the factory fire department. The fire started in what is known as the "blower," between the napping room and the dust shed. The latter building was gutted on the inside and the fire started to work its way into the mill when checked by the mill fire squad. When the city department arrived in answer to a telephone call the fire had been practically checked though there was considerable smoke. A line of hose was laid in the mill and in a short time the blaze was placed under control. Besides the damage to the shed and one room in the mill some rolls of cloth were ruined. It was stated at the plant this afternoon that none of the departments was handicapped as a result of the fire and work was going on in full. The damage is confined to a few hundred dollars, it is stated.

BLOWN TO PIECES

Du Pont Plant Wrecked by Four Explosions—Three Killed

BLUEFIELD, W. Va., April 12.—Three persons were killed, a workman and two children, when the plant of the Du Pont Powder company at Nemours, Mercer county, eight miles from here, was blown to pieces by four explosions early today. The force of the explosions was such that houses in the little village were wrecked. The children were killed in their home, near the powder mill.

The principal damage was done by the first explosion, which is said to have completely destroyed the building in which it occurred. The succeeding explosions were believed to have been caused by flying embers and were of less intensity.

The Nemours plant had been working day and night on war orders.

4000 Kegs of Powder Blew Up

Four thousand kegs of black powder exploded from an unknown cause. The property loss is $100,000.

TO REORGANIZE ARMY

SENATE RESUMES DEBATE ON ARMY ORGANIZATION BILL—FINAL ACTION TUESDAY

WASHINGTON, April 12.—With the sugar tariff bill temporarily disposed of the senate resumed debate today on the army organization bill. Final action on the bill will come next Tuesday when by agreement a vote is to be taken.

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DIED SUDDENLY

Richard Harding Davis, Author and War Correspondent, Dead

MOUNT KISCO, N. Y., April 12.—Richard Harding Davis, author and war correspondent, died at his home here last night, from heart trouble. His body was found early this morning and he had apparently been stricken while at his telephone.

He had gone into his library to dictate a telegram to a friend in New York city. His wife assumed, when he did not return, that he had seated himself to read and she did not visit the library until after midnight.

Mr. Davis had been in failing health for some time, and had sought quiet in his country place under the care of his wife, who was Bessie McCoy, the actress.

IN SUPERIOR COURT

VERDICT FOR PLAINTIFF IN CASE OF WOTTON VS. STRACHAN—B. & M. CASE STILL ON

The jury in the case of Wilder & Wotton vs. Annie M. Strachan, an action of contract, by which the plaintiffs sought to recover for flour delivered at the bakery of the defendant, which was tried before Justice Bell at the civil session of the superior court, reported a verdict in the sum of $205.67 for the plaintiffs.

At noon the jury in the case of Hamilton vs. the Boston & Maine had not reported and inasmuch as no other case was ready, court adjourned until tomorrow morning.

GYPSY CHILD BURNED

DRESS CAUGHT FIRE IN NORTH BILLERICA CAMP — NOW AT HOSPITAL

Annie Stevens, aged five years, one of the children in the party of gypsies living in tents at North Billerica, is at the Lowell Corporation hospital suffering from burns sustained at the camping grounds yesterday. She is reported to be improved today and her condition is not considered critical.

Several wood fires are kept burning on the ground surrounding the camp. As the little girl was playing near the tent in which she lives yesterday, her dress became ignited by coming in contact with a fire. In a moment all her clothes were afire and the child ran about screaming pitifully. She was picked up by her parents and the flames extinguished though her body was badly burned. The child was then rushed to the Lowell hospital for treatment.

COUNCIL OF BISHOPS

Methodist Episcopal Board of Bishops Will Hold Conference in Private Residence

CONNELLSVILLE, Pa., April 12—The semi-annual conference of the board of bishops of the Methodist Episcopal church will be held at the home of Mrs. Sarah B. Cochran, at Dawson, near here, beginning April 16 and continuing ten days.

One of the principal matters to come before the conference will be the Episcopal address to be submitted to the general body. It is being prepared by Bishop John W. Hamilton of Boston.

It is the first time the council of bishops have held their sessions at a private residence.

PATROLMEN CHANGED

Patrolman Joseph Considine has been transferred from Merrimack square, Merrimack and Middle streets, to the early night shift in Back Central street. Patrolman Simon Lane will succeed Mr. Considine in Merrimack square.

Dr. Allen
SUN BUILDING
Teeth extracted without pain or no charge, says Dr. Allen, and Eu-Cola does it.
Painless Dentistry Lasting

GERMAN REPLY TO AMERICAN NOTE

Admits Steamers Englishman, Eagle Point, Manchester Engineer and Berwindvale Sunk By U-Boats—Denies Sinking Sussex—Says Mine Was Responsible

BERLIN, April 12, by wireless to the Associated Press from a staff correspondent—The German reply to the American note concerning the damaging or sinking of five steamships contains the statement that the steamers Englishman, Eagle Point, Manchester Engineer and Berwindvale were destroyed by German submarines. Evidence is presented to show that these vessels were torpedoed legally, in accordance with the rules of war.

The note states that a German submarine torpedoed a steamship in the vicinity of the place at which the cross-channel steamship Sussex was damaged by an explosion, but that evidence at hand indicates that the vessel torpedoed was not the Sussex.

In regard to the Sussex the note states that only one German submarine was in the vicinity, and that it torpedoed one steamship. The commander of the submarine made a sketch at the time. This sketch has been compared with a photograph of the Sussex and has been found to be quite dissimilar in build, arrangement of stacks, etc. Therefore, it is presumed a mine was responsible fo the damaging of the Sussex.

In the way of corroboration, it is stated that the German naval forces destroyed 26 floating mines on that day.

Regarding the cases of the Englishman, Manchester Engineer, Eagle Point and Berwindvale, it is stated they were signalled to halt but disregarded the signals. Thereupon warning shots were fired.

The statement is made that the submarine commanders assured themselves before sinking the ships, that their destruction was justified and that the crews were safely in boats, no man being left aboard the vessels.

Interesting commentary on the theory that the Sussex explosion was caused by a mine is furnished by a statement of a Swiss passenger on that vessel. According to the version of his statement given to the Associated Press he asserts he is convinced a mine was responsible and so stated after the disaster. Investigating officers, according to this version, "bullyragged" him into changing his statement which he now repudiates.

ADVANCED ANOTHER STEP

WASHINGTON, April 12.—Germany's explanation of the destruction of the four freight ships referred to in the foregoing despatch is regarded here as advancing the submarine controversy another step but bringing it no nearer a point of action by the United States.

It does, however, inject some new elements for discussion into the situation which will involve whether Germany's assurances for the conduct of submarine warfare have included freight carrying ships.

The admission that a submarine was in the vicinity of the Sussex is regarded as an important development. The statement that "the evidence at hand" indicated that the vessel torpedoed was not the Sussex, is regarded as leaving room for developments, especially in view of the fact that Count von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, has asked Secretary Lansing for whatever information the United States may have on the case.

New information on the Sussex case from the American embassy in Paris is due on the liner St. Paul tomorrow. Secretary Lansing at his last conference with the ambassador indicated that he would discuss the subject with him when full information was in possession of the United States.

N. E. M. E. CONFERENCE

WORCESTER, April 12.—Bishop John W. Hamilton, of the Methodist Episcopal church called to order the last New England conference over which he will preside when he opened today the 12th session of the conference in Trinity church. Bishop Hamilton retires this year under the church rule establishing an age limit.

The conference began with a communion service conducted by the bishop followed by a memorial service. The conference sermon was preached by Rev. Conrad Hooker of Westfield.

TWO DEAD—STEAMER DAMAGED

ST. MICHAELS, Azores, April 12.—The Spanish steamship Angel B. Herez, which sailed from Lisbon April 3 for Philadelphia, put in here today, damaged by fire. Two men lost their lives.

SWEDISH STEAMER SUNK

LONDON, April 12.—The Swedish steamship Murjek sank yesterday following an explosion on board the vessel. Her crew was landed.

The Murjek sailed from Philadelphia on March 16 for Narvik, Norway.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

NOTICES OF INCREASES

Advance in Wages to Textile Operatives Extended to 3000 Additional Workers Today

BOSTON, April 12.—The advance in wages to textile operatives begun yesterday as part of a movement to have the workers share in the unusual prosperity now prevailing in the industry, was extended to approximately 3000 additional operatives in announcements by Massachusetts manufacturers of woolen and worsted goods today. The increase in nearly every case was 10 per cent., and will be effective April 17.

M. T. Stevens & Co., with plants at Andover, North Andover and Haverhill, employing upwards of 1000 persons; the Brightwood Manufacturing Co., with 5000 employes, and the Sutton Woolen mills, with 250 workers, both at North Andover, posted notices of increases. The wool scouring mills of E. Frank Lewis at Lawrence, employing 400 operatives and the Davis & Furber Co., at North Andover, makers of textile machinery which has 500 employes, also joined the movement.

STRIKE AT LAWRENCE

LAWRENCE, April 12.—One hundred weavers at the Uswoco mills went out on a strike for higher wages today.

The 200 striking employes of the Arlington mills finishing department voted today to return to work Monday their request for an advance of two cents an hour being granted.

WANT 40 CENTS AN HOUR

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., April 12.—Demands for an eight-hour day and 40 cents an hour were expected to be presented, some time during today on the American Graphaphone Co., by about 500 pressmen who struck early today. The men quit, they said, because some of their number had been discharged on account of membership in a union.

Later the men said that in addition to asking for reinstatement of the discharged men they would make demands for changes in working conditions. They have been working ten hours at 36 cents an hour.

INCREASE AT NORTH ANDOVER

NORTH ANDOVER, April 12.—Notice of a 10 per cent increase in wages to go into effect Monday was posted at the Sutton mills here today. About 250 hands are affected.

Operatives in plants operated by the M. T. Stevens & Sons Co., in North Andover, Andover and Haverhill, employing more than 1000 hands, will receive a 10 per cent. increase in wages starting Monday, according to notices posted today.

The Brightwood Mfg. Co., employing 500, made a similar announcement today.

The Davis & Furber Machine shop, employing 500, announced an advance of 5 per cent for all earning over $10 a week and of 10 per cent for all earning less than $10 per week, the increase to start next Monday.

NOTICE IN LAWRENCE MILL

LAWRENCE, April 12.—Notices of a 10 per cent. increase in wages to go into effect today were posted this morning in the E. Frank Lewis wool scouring mill here. The mill employs about 400.

Notices of a 10 per cent wage increase at the Kunhardt mill, employing 1000, were posted today. The advance becomes effective next Monday.

BASEBALL SEASON OPENS

Major League Races Start This Afternoon—Speaker Signs, and Plays With Cleveland

NEW YORK, April 12.—With fair weather reported from seven of the eight major league cities the opening games of the baseball season today probably will attract big attendances. The American league's initial pennant contest at Boston may have to be postponed, but that is the only city in either of the big league circuits where inclement weather conditions prevail.

As is the case each season, the two major league will stage their initial games equally between east and west. In the National league Boston will play at Brooklyn; New York at Philadelphia; Chicago at Cincinnati and Pittsburgh at St. Louis. Detroit will open at Chicago in the American league; St. Louis at Cleveland; Philadelphia at Boston and Washington at New York.

Many New Faces

More than the usual interest centers in the first contests this season on account of the many changes in the personnel of the teams and own-

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VILLA, CAPTURED, DEAD, HIDING AND FLEEING

Conflicting Reports From Mexico—Bandit Leader Now Said to Be in Sierra Madre Mountains

EL PASO, Tex., April 12.—Masking his trail with the deluding fiction spread broadcast by Mexican peons that he had died of his wounds, Francisco Villa is thought by Mexican military officers in Juarez to be safely hidden away today in the Sierra Madre mountains while the American cavalry are pursuing a rear guard band of Villa bandits, whose strategy it is to beguile Villa's pursuers away from the hiding place of their chief.

Mexican followers of Villa say it was a favorite trick of the bandit leader, when the chase became hot, for him to have the story spread that he was dead, so the ardor of his pursuers might be dampened.

Brig.-Gen. Pershing has established a new base at Satevo, according to information here, but no word has come from the flying columns of American cavalry under command of Cols. Dodd and Brown. There are reports that the advance columns have been forced to halt until the line of communications has been established south of Satevo.

There is nothing official here, or at army headquarters at Columbus, to confirm a report that Troops K and M, Seventh cavalry, killed a number of Villa bandits and captured 35 others last Saturday south of Satevo. Military officers at Columbus do not credit the report.

CARRANZA NOT TO INTERFERE WITH U. S.

WASHINGTON, April 12.—The administration has received assurances from Carranza that the de facto government of Mexico has no intention of interfering in any way with the prog-

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MOODY CLUB CASE HEARD

Cecil P. Dodge Shouldered All the Responsibility and Was Fined $100—Others Let Go

The police court trial of the various members of the Moody club on the four separate complaints preferred by Superintendent of Police Welch in connection with the boxing exhibitions at the Playhouse, came to an abrupt close this forenoon when after Judge Enright had made a finding of guilty in the first case, Attorney Tierney for the club members and Supt. Welch held a consultation with the court and agreed to dispose of the cases without any trial of the remaining three matters.

Cecil P. Dodge shouldered the entire responsibility for the club entertainments and under oath testified that the others involved in the court cases were simply his employes and had nothing to do with the organization's business, thereby freeing them from any liability in the case. Mr. Dodge was then fined in each of the three complaints, the fines totalling $100. There were no other fines imposed. As no appeal was taken it is understood that there will be no further attempt to hold boxing matches in this city.

In this first case which was threshed

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SEC. DANIELS HISSED

Refused to Permit Rear Admiral Fiske to Read Paper Before Navy League Convention

WASHINGTON, April 12.—Secretary Daniels' refusal to permit Rear Admiral Fiske to read a paper before the Navy league convention here today stirred up a wave of denunciation of the secretary in the meeting and drew hisses from one part of the hall. The admiral's paper, previously published in Naval Institute, an official publication of the navy war college, was read by William Mather Lewis of Lake Forest, Ill., while the meeting cheered roundly.

Col. Robert M. Thompson, president of the league, read a letter from Secretary Daniels denying a request that the admiral read the paper and declared:

"I desire to express my sorrow that the navy department should take this narrow view, so strongly in conflict with that taken by the war department. This question goes behind a mere departmental wish. It involves the constitutional right of free speech that an officer of 50 years' service, acknowledged as one of the leaders of his profession, should be denied the right to say that two and two makes four."

Col. Thompson's mention of Secretary Daniels' name brought hisses from a part of the house.

Henry Reuterdahl and William H. Stayton of New York attacked the secretary's position and Reuterdahl declared that "wholesale gagging of navy officers does not come originally from the navy department but from the White House."

Secretary Daniels' letter gave as a reason for his position the attitude taken by the department recently when Admiral Fiske was not permitted to speak to the Commercial club of Chicago on naval affairs. Then the secretary wrote that he thought it better for civilians to lead the fight for enlargement of the navy and for naval officers to continue an unbroken policy of not trying to influence legislation.

"Naval experts," he wrote then, "will give their views to the naval affairs committees in congress and hearings will be public. This gives to congress and the people the opinions of experts."

"If any here wants to defend the secretary's position let him arise," shouted Reuterdahl.

No one arose to the defense of the secretary.

LODGE ASKS CORRESPONDENCE

WASHINGTON, April 12.—The controversy between Secretary Daniels and Rear-Admiral Bradley A. Fiske, former aide for operations, took a new turn today when the senate adopted without discussion a resolution by Senator Lodge calling for correspondence. Mr. Daniels declined to produce before the house committee during hearings on the naval appropriation bill. The resolution describes the letters as written to the secretary in November, 1914, one by the general board, and one by Admiral Fiske. They are declared to contain warnings of the unreadiness of the navy for war. Before the house committee the secretary was asked if he had not received such letters, following his statement that his difference with Admiral Fiske had not arisen over any preparedness issue. He said communications with the general board were confidential and he would not produce the letter. He added that if he knew members of the board were discussing these confidential matters outside the department he would take steps to change its personnel.

Admiral Fiske told the same committee he had resigned as aide for operations because he differed with Mr. Daniels over the navy's readiness for war.

In his testimony Secretary Daniels said the disagreement began with his refusal to appoint Fiske commander of the Atlantic fleet although Fiske had also disapproved vigorously the order doing away with navy officers' wine mess.

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ON TOUR OF INSPECTION

City Officials Studied Sewerage Problems in the Oaklands and Warrenville

Upon invitation of Charles J. Morse, commissioner of streets and highways, the mayor and other members of the municipal council; District Health Officer Dr. Charles E. Simpson; Hon. John H. Drury of the board of health; City Engineer Kearney and representatives of the press took a view yesterday afternoon of that portion of the Oaklands along the route of the proposed Oakland sewer, but in the absence of maps, pointing and describing the different brooks, sewers, drains and filter beds, it was rather difficult for the unsophisticated to get a very intelligent idea of the situation and it was very plain, in fact, that the city solons and their assistants were at a loss, at times, to know where sewage was seeping or where the various drains and sewers were located. Commissioner Morse, however, has a well defined plan for better sewage facilities for that section of the Oaklands, including Red Village, and while it will not be a permanent affair it will relieve the situation for the present year, and next year the Oaklands sewer, now ending in a field near the seat of trouble, will be extended to take care of that section for all time. This will entail considerable expense for it will include at least three branch sewers. Mr. Morse intended to start the extension this year, but so much money was required for other things that he decided to let it go over for another year. Besides viewing and discussing the sewer problem, the viewers also visited "danger spots" on the Concord river and Hale's brook as referred to by the water ways committee in communications to the mayor, and it was the consensus of opinion that the places visited should be fenced for the safety of children in these particular sections.

The sewage conditions as observed by the viewing party yesterday were, in a majority of instances, decidedly bad, and Dr. Simpson said that these conditions have existed since 1907, and that they have been and are today positively dangerous. He said that something should be done and must be done, and everybody on the board agreed with him. Mr. Drury of the local board of health was very active as a viewer and examined the bad places very carefully, discussing proposed relief schemes with Commissioner Morse and the city engineer. The mayor, too, took a keen interest in all that was going on, and Commissioner Putnam, who is fairly well acquainted with the sewer layout, assisted very materially in an intelligent discussion of the problem.

The first section of the Oaklands sewer, built seven years ago or more, stops at the end of Frothingham street, an unaccepted way, and it was here that the viewing party made its start. It is the intention to have the sewer follow the general line of a brook which flows east, then southeast, and finally south to Rogers street, not far from Red Village or Warrenville. Some day, perhaps, the good people of that section will decide upon a name, but at the present time it is referred to as Warrenville and Red Village, and it was hinted yesterday that it's real and final name will be Newtonville, after the Newton Mfg. Co.

The brook that points the course of the Oaklands sewer is a winding affair that if named by the Indians would probably be known as snake brook, but, regardless of its name, it is a very busy little brook and harbors sundry kinds of sludge, sewage and filth. The brook doesn't smell like geraniums and never will. Just at this season of the year there is water enough to keep the odors down; but a little later on it will be seen in all its nastiness. Dr. Simpson lives on the south slope of the Oaklands, and he avers that in the dear old summer time there are savory odors from the brook. The doctor was speaking of summers, too, when the Warrenville plant was closed, but this summer there will be 1200 persons employed there, and it doesn't take a sewer expert or sanitary engineer to understand what that will mean.

At Rogers street, near the Cawley land, on the northerly side, is a low-lying swampy area. It is proposed to run the extreme link of the Oaklands sewer from Rogers street down into this land and to a point where temporary cinder filter beds are constructed. Into these beds, for this year only, would be emptied the sewage from the Newton plant, as well as from the two lateral sewers running from the east and west in Rogers street. All this would be a beginning, and Mr. Morse says it would cost about $30,000 to do it. He agrees, too, with Dr. Simpson and Mr. Drury that it ought to be done right away, and, what's more, he is going to do it right away.

Along the willow-edged driveway leading from the street to the plant now occupied by the Newton Mfg. Co., there's a little brook that might put a bit but for the burden it is made to bear. It was referred to as a ditch yesterday but it is as much a brook as some other sickly streams that are masquerading under that title. Well, anyway, into this brook or ditch, at the point nearest the Newton plant, empties a pipe that carries all the sewage from the plant. This place, in the warm weather, is going to give off some terrible odors, and the quicker conditions are remedied there the better for all concerned, and this will have to be taken care of by the filter beds. The present filter beds seem to be in fairly good shape. They are covered with cinders and there is very little sewage apparent at present.

The city engineer will now get busy on actual plans for temporary relief, and in the meantime the council will borrow the necessary money to make life safe and tolerable in that section of the Oaklands.

BOARD OF TRADE

Monthly Meeting of the Directors Held Last Evening—New Members Initiated

The regular monthly meeting of the directors of the Lowell board of trade was held last evening in the rooms of the organization in Central street, the business meeting being preceded by luncheon. A feature of the evening was the initiation of 23 members, bringing the total membership to over 1000, a record in the history of the board.

Present at the meeting were the following:

Robert F. Marden, Daniel F. Carroll, Herford N. Elliott, Clarence H. Nelson, Collins VandenBerg, Harold L. Chalifoux, Charles H. McIntire, A. D. Milliken, George Bowers, Cyrus Woodman, Harvey B. Greene, Fred F. Hayward, Daniel W. Shanahan, William F. Hills, P. O'Hearn, William H. Bolger, Charles Runels, Irving D. Kimball, W. S. Watson, Walter E. Guyette, Stanley E. Qua, Frederic A. Fisher and Secretary John H. Murphy.

At the opening of the business meeting President Robert F. Marden gave a summary of the condition of the board as follows:

Paid memberships for 1916 to date, 862; 1915 members who have not yet paid the 1916 dues 115; new members whose dues are not yet received 38; grand total 1015.

The following new members were admitted: Appleton Co., 5; Boott mills, 5; J. Howard Smith, Lucien Turcotte, Edward W. Clark, Brooks Stevens, John J. Mahoney, Dr. C. F. Harris, Alfred D. Ware, Joseph A. Cayouette, William A. Parthenais, Dr. George H. Pillsbury, J. Lawler Ford, Andrew E. Livingston, Roswell S. Fox, A. D. Mack and R. Delys.

Secretary John H. Murphy reported for the flower show, giving the financial statement, which proved satisfactory. Harvey B. Greene spoke for the city beautiful committee, and this was followed by a general discussion in reference to the new high school. President Marden stated that the advisory board will be opposed to the borrowing of any more money for the project.

"AT ONCE STOPS ITS GRUMBLING"

A Lowell man, who has suffered much from the various symptoms of dyspepsia during the past six months, writes, "On the slightest evidence of stomach trouble, I now resort to Dyspep-lets. My stomach responds to them immediately and at once stops its grumbling. I can eat almost anything now without any discomfort and you don't know how happy it makes me feel. I recommend Dyspep-lets to my friends." All druggists at 10c, 25c or $1.00.

TO THE HOTEL KEEPERS

SUPT. WELCH HAS THEM CALLED BEFORE LICENSE BOARD ON VARIOUS CHARGES

That Sunday conditions in at least five local hotels as observed by the liquor inspectors on a recent visit were not in accord with the law was claimed by Supt. Welch of the police department last evening when the hotel proprietors appeared before the license commission to receive a warning. The hotels referred to were the Arlington, Harrisonia, Merrimack, New American and Washington tavern.

Definite charges of violations of the liquor laws were made against the proprietors of the Belvidere and Park hotels. A hearing will be given on these cases next Tuesday night.

The hotel men were summoned before the meeting as a result of a tour of the city made by Inspectors Cooney and Holland a week ago Sunday. The liquor officers claimed that in these establishments while there was no direct violation men were being served liquor who were not in their right senses, though not intoxicated. Their observations in other hotels were described as follows:

Arlington, five out of 35 patrons showed signs of drink; American house, five out of 46; Harrisonia 10 out of 50; Merrimack house, 9 out of 92 patrons; Washington, 10 out of 65.

Supt. Welch explained that the testimony of the inspectors showed that the law was being complied with in these hotels but a little more care should be exercised as to the condition of patrons who are being served. He said that he did not call the men together to face charges but to have a conference with the commissioners.

Mr. Boulger said he could not understand how the inspectors saw so many men semi-intoxicated on Sunday when the law permits the serving of liquor only to guests. He hoped that the conditions would soon be remedied.

The Park hotel is charged with selling liquor to two men who had not purchased food and the Belvidere is accused of selling to an intoxicated person.

The following minor licenses were granted: Job wagons—Theofele Beauchemin, 867 Princeton street; Nicholas Demetrakos, 573 Market street; J. Burke & Son, by Fred Burke, 34 Lilley avenue; Adams Express Co., by Charles A. Gale, agent, 15 Arch street. Hackney coach—Joseph Urbanek, 69 Fourth street. Express—Nellie E. Richardson, East Chelmsford; John Q. Adams, 249 Walker street; Julius T. Adams, Jr., 44 Leverett street; George Etheridge, 61 Rock street; Taylor & Scott, 146 Humphrey street. Hawker and peddler—James Thomas, 59 Jefferson street; Nichk Camvoures, 591 Broadway; Theodore Savard, 472 Moody street.

The Sunday permits of Charles Larochc, 51 Branch street, and Thomas Adams, 2 Liberty street, which were cancelled as the result of their recent appearance in court on a charge of having slot machine on their premises, were reissued upon the recommendation of Supt. of Police Welch.

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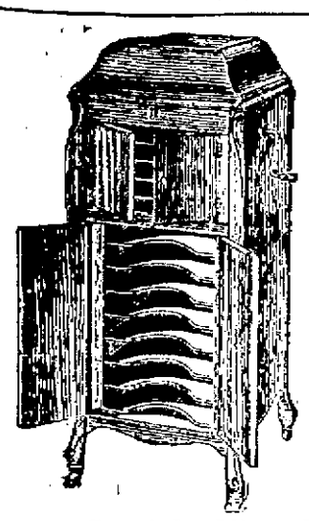

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What are the symptoms? Pallor and languor, a fickle appetite, dark rings under the eyes, bronchial colds. Very often the best efforts of the family physician fail in such cases and the condition of the child causes the most intense anxiety. Cod-liver oil, so often prescribed, generally fails because the weak stomach is unable to digest fats.

Try this treatment. Before breakfast each morning give the child the juice of half an orange. After the noon meal give one of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Keep this up for a few days and then give one of the pills after the evening meal also. Weigh the child before beginning the treatment and again after two weeks. An increase in weight of from two to five pounds will show you that you are on the right track at last. Care is necessary in the diet of the patient and it will be well to send to the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y., for a diet book and the pamphlet, "Building Up the Blood." Both are free. Your own druggist sells Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

ELOPED ON LUSITANIA

DIVORCE CASE SHEDS LIGHT ON TRAGEDY — LYNN WOMAN'S HUSBAND SAVED

NEWBURYPORT, April 12.—The award yesterday of a decree nisi by Judge Sisk of the Essex superior court to Mrs. Marion L. Snowden of Lynn, who sought divorce from her husband, Thomas Snowden, alleging cruel and abusive treatment, shed new light on a strange case brought to notice by the torpedoing of the Lusitania.

Mrs. Snowden testified that her husband had gone away with another woman, but did not disclose the woman's name, and, as the suit was not brought on those grounds, she was not pressed to do so. After receiving her decree, however, she said that the woman was Mrs. Eva Finch of Lynn, but that, as she was dead, she did not wish to bring the name into the case.

Nearly a year ago, she said, her husband had told her he was going away with Mrs. Finch, returning to England, from which they all had come. In view of the treatment she had received, and the fact that, as a shoe stitcher and childless, she was self-supporting, she did not make material objection. Mr. Finch, too, apparently, offered no opposition.

Snowden and Mrs. Finch sailed on the Lusitania. When the vessel was torpedoed, Snowden was rescued, but Mrs. Finch was drowned. At the time reporters noted that neither Mrs. Snowden nor Mr. Finch expressed any interest in the fate of their mates.

Mr. Snowden subsequently came back to Lynn, though in the last week or so he has apparently disappeared. Mr. Finch appears to have left the city some months ago. Mrs. Snowden is about 40 years old, her husband perhaps five years older.

EARLY CLOSING DEFEATED

BRODERICK RESOLUTION, TO HAVE NASHUA SALOONS CEASE BUSINESS AT 10 P. M. IS TABLED

NASHUA, N. H., April 12.—The Broderick resolution, calling for the closing of the saloons at 10 instead of 11 p. m. for the next two years, was tabled indefinitely by the aldermen last night on a roll call vote, 9 to 6.

Aldermen Demontigny, Laliberte, Fletcher, Glynn, Hanscom, Wheeler, Brogan, French and Richard voted to table; Alley, Cole, Kittredge, Shea, Broderick and Ames were opposed.

Appropriations of $2500 for the Merrimack highway and $5000 for the south side highway were introduced.

A special committee recommended portable voting booths, except in wards 2 and 4, thus discontinuing the use of schoolhouses and private halls, and a readjustment of the pay of ward and election officers, now above the legal limits.

IDENTIFY LUSITANIA VICTIM

Body of Charles H. Stevens, Former Boston Business Man, Was Buried in England, His Widow Learns

BOSTON, April 12.—The body of Charles H. Stevens, a Lusitania victim, who at one time kept an antique furniture store in Devonshire street and whose widow, Mrs. Laura Stevens, lives at 22 Upland road, Cambridge, has been found and buried in England, it was learned yesterday.

Identification was made through a gold watch inscribed with his name and containing an enameled picture of his mother, the late Mrs. Melissa Stevens Sutton, widow of Gen. William Sutton.

The identify was further established through a pair of gold linked cuff buttons and a monogrammed knife. In the lining of the garments was found $750 in cash. Mrs. Stevens has received a part of this sum.

Mr. Stevens was 53 years old. His body was picked up more than two months ago, it is said, off the coast of Ireland and buried under the direction of the Cunard line officials.

LOWELL TEXTILE SCHOOL

GRADUATION EXERCISES TO BE HELD TONIGHT IN THE ASSEMBLY HALL

The graduation exercises of the evening classes of the Lowell Textile school will take place this evening in the assembly hall of the school in Moody street, and a feature of the evening will be the award of 103 diplomas, the largest in the history of the school.

The speaker of the evening will be Justice Charles V. Bell of the Middlesex county superior court and residing in Andover. After the presentation of diplomas will be made by Mayor Jas. E. O'Donnell and A. G. Cumnock, president of the school. Preceding the exercises which will be held at 7.45 o'clock, the building will be open to inspection. No tickets are required for admission to the inspection and exercises and the public is cordially invited.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

AGAINST MOHR ESTATE

67 CLAIMS FILED SINCE PHYSICIAN'S MURDER—BILL OF $650 FOR DIAMOND

PROVIDENCE, April 12.—Mrs. Elizabeth F. Mohr, widow of Dr. Charles F. Mohr, who was murdered in his automobile, was a visitor to Judge Stone's court yesterday in relation to matters affecting the estate, against which 67 claims have been filed since Dr. Mohr's death.

There is pending a petition for allowance for the support of the family, this petition having been filed Oct. 7 last, and for allowing the widow the furniture, which has been inventoried as worth $6255.20. Two months ago Mrs. Mohr was allowed $12.50 per week for each of her two minor children.

Claims against the estate of the doctor are coming in steadily, the latest being for riding boots and a horse outfit from a fashionable New York firm. Mrs. Mohr was particularly interested in a claim for diamonds, one item being for a ring at $650.

JUMPS TO HIS DEATH

SECOND DROWNING ATTEMPT SUCCEEDS—PAWTUCKET MAN LEAPS FROM BRIDGE

PAWTUCKET, April 12.—A man, believed to be James H. Redmond of this city, leaped from the Exchange street bridge yesterday afternoon, about 3.30 o'clock, and was drowned. He was seen to swim about 100 yards, after which he threw up his hands and sank.

The swollen condition of the river prevented dragging for the body.

Redmond was seen near the bridge and had not appeared at home last night. His wife is satisfied the drowned man is her husband. Redmond is about 50 years old and kept a small grocery at 119 Denver street.

He made a similar attempt at the same bridge about three months ago.

PRIMARY IN ILLINOIS

RETURNS SHOW THAT SENATOR SHERMAN WILL HAVE 60 OF 58 DELEGATES

CHICAGO, April 12.—Returns today from yesterday's presidential preference primary in Illinois show that Senator L. Y. Sherman will have 58 out of the 58 delegates in the national republican convention. Two of the district delegates elected on the republican ticket have declared themselves favorable to Col. Theodore Roosevelt.

John M. Harlan, who ran for delegate-at-large "unpledged" but who declared in his campaign that he favored Col. Roosevelt, was defeated by approximately 200,000, according to returns compiled early today.

President Wilson's was the only name on the democratic ballot.

Women were privileged to express their preference for president, but were not allowed to vote for delegates. As a result of the limited franchise only 7765 women went to the polls in Chicago.

Senator Sherman's name was the only one given a place on the official republican ballot, but Col. Roosevelt received a total of 11,820 votes written on ballots in Chicago and several others were given a few hundred votes.

Sherman's vote in Chicago was 63,823, and President Wilson's 79,338.

WATERWAYS COMMITTEE

MORE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR PROTECTIVE FENCES ALONG CANAL AND RIVER BANKS

The following letter, teeming with recommendations by the committee on waterways, has been received by the mayor:

April 11, 1916.

Hon. James E. O'Donnell, Lowell, Mass.

My Dear Mr. Mayor: The waterways committee respectfully reports that along Pawtucket street on the property belonging to the heirs of Daniel Gage and adjacent to the Merrimack river, running from the ice houses to the railroad bridge is dangerous to public travel. The committee would, therefore, recommend that the heirs of Daniel Gage be notified to properly fence this land either along the street line or the retaining wall built by the owners.

The committee would recommend that the Kitson Machine company be asked to place pickets on the fence over the canal on Dutton street a distance of about 20 feet, that the same may be made more safe to public travel.

The committee also recommends that the proprietors of the Shaw hosiery be requested to place a suitable fence with gate to be kept locked at the approach of the board walk which extends from Chelmsford street to the brick house in the swamp close to Hale's brook. This open walk affords an inviting place for children to play and is one of the bad danger spots in the city. In addition to the recent recommendation that the city at once fence Clark's court and other places, we would recommend that the city of Lowell immediately fence the end of Chestnut street which is an open and dangerous way leading into the Concord river.

We also recommend that the city build a safe and suitable fence for a distance of about one hundred feet at a point near Pawtucket falls along Varnum avenue which is now dangerous to public travel.

We recommend that the city place pickets on the bridge fence over Hale's brook on Gorham street near Butler avenue; also place pickets on both sides of the bridge over the Concord river on Lawrence street near the Lowell cemetery.

We would recommend that the city have placed on top of the capstone of the stone wall an iron fence, running from Moody street bridge to the Pawtucket street canal bridge so that children will be prevented from climbing over and falling down the precipitous slope into the canal, a spot where several children have lost their lives.

The committee would also recommend that Lincoln street bridge over Hale's brook be made more safe by placing pickets on the present inadequate rail fence.

Respectfully submitted,
Jackson Palmer,
Harry W. J. Howe,
Frank A. Warnock.

KILLED BY TRAIN

Henry Dodge Struck at Newport, Me.—Companion Had Narrow Escape—Walking on Track to Bangor

NEWPORT, Me., April 12.—Henry Dodge of Farmington, aged about 20, was instantly killed yesterday afternoon on being struck by passenger express train No. 29, eastbound, on the Maine Central from Portland to Bangor.

Dodge was walking on the tracks about a mile west of this town with a companion, whose name could not be learned, and who barely escaped a similar fate by a quick jump from in front of the train, which was running 50 miles down grade.

The body was brought to this village and placed in care of an undertaker. Letters on the body gave his name and showed he has a mother and other relatives in Farmington.

The young man was walking to Bangor with the expectation of getting a job with a log driving crew.

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It grows late. The exposition lights fade, and the whole scene is enveloped in darkness. Presently come the first rays of dawn, and the exposition opens to another day.

It is a masterpiece, nothing else. The entire structure was [illegible] on the exposition grounds under the personal direction of Edwin J. Austen, the genius who created the wonderful color effects at the exposition—and all the glorious gorgeousness of color is portrayed in the work of art here displayed.

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KILL TABERNACLE BILL

SENATE REFUSES, 18 TO 20, TO PERMIT WOODEN STRUCTURE FOR BILLY SUNDAY CAMPAIGN

BOSTON, April 12.—The Massachusetts senate yesterday extended a welcome to Billy Sunday to come to Boston and comply with the law.

Although practically every member who spoke on the subject expressed his gratification at the approaching visit of the evangelist to the Hub, 20 senators voted against allowing the erection of a wooden tabernacle in which to hold the Sunday meetings, and only 18 voted in favor of a bill which would allow him exemption from the building laws of the city.

Senator Bates of Dorchester, chairman of the committee on metropolitan affairs, led the fight against the bill, which was passed in the house last week by a wide margin. He warned the senate against breaking down the building laws to allow the erection of a wooden building, heated with stoves and containing quantities of sawdust on the floor. The petitioners for the legislation have already prepared two sets of plans, he said, and it will cost but $5000 or $6000 more to have the building in conformity with the law. The petitioners were criticized for not having gone to the board of appeal and exhausting every effort before they appealed to the legislature to let down the bars.

Senator Cavanagh of Everett was the principal speaker in favor of the bill. He said the structure is not to be a permanent one, and the danger from fire had been greatly overestimated by the opponents of the bill.

Senator Timilty, representing the people of Roxbury, said they are afraid of fires, and that the danger from the tabernacle would be great.

Senator Beck of Chelsea said he would prefer to take a chance in a wooden building than one with brick walls.

The senate divided on the question of ordering the bill to a third reading as follows:

In favor—Senators Beal, Bean, Beck, Cavanagh, Clark, Eldridge, Fay, Gifford, Gordon, Haigis, Jackson, Kimball, Langelier, Marchand, Martin, Perley, Tetler, Tufts—18.

Opposed—Senators Bartlett, Bates, Bazeley, Brown, Chapman, Cummings, Ellis, Farnsworth, Green, Hays, Hobbs, Hull, Knowles, Mason, McGonagle, McLane, McLaughlin, Parker, Sheehan, Timilty—20.

Senator Bates tried to get an amendment on Mayor Curley's bill for new highways which would provide that 60 per cent of the proposed 50 cent increase in the tax limit should be used for highway improvements in Dorchester, Hyde Park and Brighton. His amendment was defeated and the bill ordered to a third reading on a voice vote.

The senate defeated the amendment of Senator Hobbs to the liquor transportation bill, by which each city or town might decide whether or not to allow dealers to ship liquor into no-license territory, and ordered the bill to a third reading by a rising vote, 18 to 12. The Hobbs amendment was killed, 12 to 20.

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

British Columbia has women factory inspectors.

There are suffrage leagues in every part of Canada.

Miss Belleville Maidenhead makes $2500 a year selling time to the London watchmakers.

Mrs. Harriet Reynolds has a goose ranch in California, from which she earns $2500 a year.

Miss Marion Mitchell of Philadelphia has been chosen as one of the prettiest girls at Wellesley college.

Chinese students at Oberlin college will shortly stage a play written by Miss Yuet Ha Tang, a native of Hong Kong.

ROBERT FROST READS

NEW AMERICAN POET MAKES FRIENDS AT MIDDLESEX WOMEN'S CLUB BY QUAINT MANNER

Robert Frost, poet of the unconventional, and regarded in England as the most promising American poet of the present time came to Lowell yesterday afternoon and took the members of the Middlesex Women's club on an imaginary trip to the mountains of New Hampshire. During the trip they saw many snatches of typical New Hampshire scenery and met quaint farm types, but their greatest pleasure was in the sly monologue of Robert Frost who with drawling nonchalance kept up a stream of witty remarks for an hour or so.

Robert Frost is a pleasing ordinary looking person who has not yet lost his boyish characteristics. In repose his face is serious and even when he is having fun with his audience he looks solemn. This makes his rare smile all the more effective and when he does smile there is a wise archness in it that gives him an unusual power to please. He is unaffected to the point of affectation and gives the impression of the utmost honesty and sincerity. Whenever he catches himself growing sentimental or romantic he pulls himself up short and pokes fun at his poetry, at himself and at everybody else. Those who regard him as a great and original poet must find it in his poems. He tries his best to convey the impression that he is just an enthusiastic farmer of New Hampshire who writes of common things in a simple way.

Most of the poems read by the poet were from his book, "North of Boston" which is full of impressions of New Hampshire farm life. For the most part they were humorous, but where there was tragedy it was poignant and searching. The opening poem was the "Hired Man's Code." This was followed by "Brown's Descent," which he described as "somewhere near the truth—as I tell it." The poem relates how Brown slipped on the crest of his hill one night when the snow was frozen over and slided down over field and hedge one mile, holding on to his lantern the while and describing wonderful figures en route.

"Some critical persons have said that "North of Boston" is too blue. Mr. Frost found out why; it is because of the poem "Blueberries." This is the poet at his best. One hearing it could not but long for the days when the berry pastures around Lowell will be as full of fruit as the pastures of New Hampshire valleys. Then he read a little cynical poem about Christmas trees in which the tragedy of their cutting was caught effectively, and afterwards a poem on war and peace which related how to New Hampshire neighbors kept building up their fences yearly, one of them mumbling the while "Good fences make good neighbors."

In closing, Robert Frost described his theory of writing after expressing his dislike for the word 'theory.' Once somebody tried to sell him a farm with a gold mine on it. He did not buy, not caring for "New Hampshire gold" or things that most poets care about. People think certain things poetical, the moon, running brooks, flowers, love and murder for instance. To him they are like "the common tin drinking cup in a railroad station." He selects a fresh, common subject that has not been "mouthed over," gives it its way in his mind and writes what comes. He says that almost anybody can do it. One thing is sure; Robert Frost can do it and he has done it so as to secure a high place in contemporaneous English literature.

SHOT WIFE, THEN HIMSELF

BRIDGEPORT MAN LEFT NOTE ACCUSING NEW HAVEN LAWYER OF BREAKING UP HIS HOME

BRIDGEPORT, April 12.—Leaving one note accusing Dwight W. Tuttle, a prominent New Haven lawyer, with breaking up his home, and another telling his wife that she had gone the limit and that he was going to commit suicide the same as her first husband, Louis H. Wolter yesterday afternoon shot his wife twice and then fired a bullet into his own brain.

He is in St. Vincent's hospital with no chance of recovery. One bullet lodged in his wife's thigh and another in the leg just above the knee. She will recover.

Mrs. Wolter is reputed to be wealthy. The first the police knew of the shooting was when the woman was found fainting in her automobile, which stood outside her apartments at 89 Cannon street. The couple had been separated for some time.

"I've got you now," Mrs. Wolter said her husband shouted when she entered her apartments at 5.30 yesterday afternoon. He then fired two shots and then ran down the stairs and jumped into her automobile.

Mrs. Wolter's former husband committed suicide by inhaling illuminating gas during her absence.

RIVERS AND HARBORS

BILL PASSED SENATE—FOUR MASS. MEN VOTE FOR MEASURE—TREADWAY AMENDMENT

WASHINGTON, April 12.—First defeating an amendment by Representative Treadway, to recommit the measure with instruction for the committee to cut the appropriation in halves, the house yesterday passed the rivers and harbors bill, carrying approximately $40,000,000.

The vote against the amendment was 149 to 200, and the vote for the measure was 210 to 133, with 10 voting "present."

The Massachusetts items in the measure are: Newburyport, $20,000; Boston harbor, $100,000; Nantucket, $10,000; Pollock Rip channel, $150,000; Merrimack river, $10,000; Weymouth Fore River, $15,000.

Examinations and surveys were ordered as follows: Island End river, Buzzards Bay, upper end, for additional anchorage area and improvement to approach of Cape Cod canal.

The Massachusetts men who voted for the measure were Representatives Greene, Olney, Phelan and Roberts.

Those opposed were Representatives Carter, Dallinger, Gardner, Gillett, Paige, Rogers, Tinkham, Treadway, Tague, Walsh and Winslow.

SENATE PASSES SUGAR BILL

Substitute For House Measure Extends Duty of One Cent a Pound Until May, 1920

WASHINGTON, April 12.—The senate late today passed its substitute for the House Free Sugar Repeal resolution extending the present duty of one cent a pound on sugar until May, 1920. The vote was 40 to 32.

Anticipating that the house would insist upon its resolutions, Senators Simmons, Stone and Lodge were named as the senators conferees.

Unless a conference agreement is reached and approved before May 1 sugar will go on the free list.

Senator Weeks attacked the democratic tariff, declaring it was not a good revenue producer. He argued at length against the contention that the European war was responsible for the great falling off in customs receipts.

THE CAUSE OF ANAEMIA

It is universally known that iron is a very important element of the blood, and lack of it is the direct cause of run-down conditions and anaemia. It may interest our readers to know that Liggett's Drug Store, Riker-Jaynes Drug Store, Falls & Burkinshaw and Lowell Pharmacy, Routhier & Delisle, Props., of this city, have in Vinol a reliable, constitutional remedy for such conditions. Vinol supplies iron to the blood in its most soluble state, then there's the nourishing properties of beef peptone and the medicinal curative extractives of fresh cod livers, without oil, all dissolved in a pure native tonic wine. That's what makes Vinol so successful in overcoming run-down and anaemic conditions.

ARSON TRUST IN BOSTON

DETECTIVES WATCHING SUSPECTED RINGLEADER — INSURANCE COMPANIES DEFRAUDED

BOSTON, April 12.—District Attorney Pelletier, it was learned yesterday, puts much hope in connection with his crusade against the "arson trust" in a book containing names of arson jobs, and amounts paid for setting fires, found in a house which a man was seen to leave just before a fire started in the building. It is said that the trust has defrauded insurance companies of more than $63,000.

The suspected owner, who was before the grand jury yesterday, denied that the book ever belonged to him. Handwriting experts have satisfied the district attorney that the writing in the book and that of a certain man are so similar in every respect that the movements of that man are being closely watched.

The book in question furnishes information about five fires of doubtful origin, and in one instance the owner of one of the houses was paid $4700 by an insurance company.

It would seem from what the district attorney has already learned that there is a gang of incendiaries in Boston whose services may be secured on payment of from $100 to $500 each. Their work has been done so skilfully that it has been difficult to obtain evidence necessary to secure a conviction, and unless satisfactory proof is obtained the grand jury will not be asked to indict on mere suspicion, no matter how strong such suspicions may be.

There were 50 witnesses before the grand jury yesterday, and several days more will be required to finish the hearings.

STREET CAR SERVICE

WORK ON CHELMSFORD STREET BRIDGE WILL INTERRUPT TRAFFIC—NEW ARRANGEMENT

Owing to construction work commencing on the Chelmsford street bridge tomorrow, all electric car traffic over the bridge will be discontinued for a brief space of time. Westford street and Chelmsford street and Chelmsford Centre lines will be affected to a considerable extent, but Supt. Farrington believes that the bridge will be sufficiently well constructed in about two weeks' time to allow the cars to resume their regular running schedules. Supt. Farrington states that he has been assured by the engineer in charge of the construction work that the job will be rushed with all possible haste to a point where it will be safe to allow cars to run over the bridge.

The Chelmsford street and Centre cars will terminate their runs at the bridge. Their leaving time from this point will be seven minutes later than from Merrimack square.

Extra cars will operate between Merrimack square and the bridge, through Appleton street.

The regular Westford st. cars will run through Middlesex street, Branch street and Coral street, operating on the regular schedule. On Westford street, between Coral street and the junction of Coral and Westford, an extra car will be operated.

TO LIFT EMBARGOES

WILL BE OFF SATURDAY—SHIPPERS URGED TO USE MODERATION

NEW YORK, April 12.—Embargoes, except as to export freight, all will be virtually lifted on the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad at midnight Friday, it was announced here last night. Embargoes on connecting lines will be modified as nearly as possible to conform with this action.

Interstate Commerce Commissioner Clark, who has been participating in the eastern freight accumulation conference, issued a statement in which he declared that, if shippers and receivers of freight desire to escape further embargoes on the New Haven line, they must arrange shipments in moderation and utilize all cars to the fullest carrying capacity.

The New Haven embargoes remaining in force are against several cities including Waterbury, Bristol, New Britain and Hartford, as well as against cotton consigned to Fall River and Watuppa, Mass., and a few individual concerns which have an accumulation of freight on hand beyond their present ability to unload.

Bituminous and anthracite coal, lumber and cement will be limited to one-third the average daily receipts from connecting lines during April last year.

GET TOGETHER CLUB

Mr. A. G. Walsh addressed the members of the Get Together club at the Y.M.C.A. last evening on "Stocks and Bonds," at the fifth of a series of thrift talks being conducted by the association.

Mr. Walsh outlined the origin and growth of the large corporations of this country, showing why it was necessary for any industry to have the interest and support of a large number of people rather than be controlled by a few. He particularly mentioned the beginning of the Bell Telephone company, recalling the first meeting held for that purpose in old Huntington hall many years ago, which he attended. From a very small beginning, the speaker showed how the company has grown with rapid strides to its present capitalization of many millions of dollars.

114,535 VOTERS IN BOSTON

BOSTON, April 12.—The additional registrations for the presidential primaries on April 25 ended at 10 o'clock last night and 389 new names had been added. With those on the lists by registration for the city election in December, the grand total is 114,835.

The total number will remain about the same as in December, for the voters dying since the city election usually average about the same number as the new names.

MAINE M. E. CONFERENCE

RUMFORD, Me., Aprin 12.—Preceded by a devotional service, the 92nd annual session of the Maine Methodist Episcopal conference was opened today in the Franklin Street church. The conference, which will continue until Sunday night or Monday morning, is in charge of Bishop R. J. Cooke of Portland, Oregon.

Two matters of particular interest at this session will be the election of ministerial and lay delegates to the general conference at Saratoga next month, and the conference lectures by Rev. C. L. Goodell of St. Paul's church, New York city.

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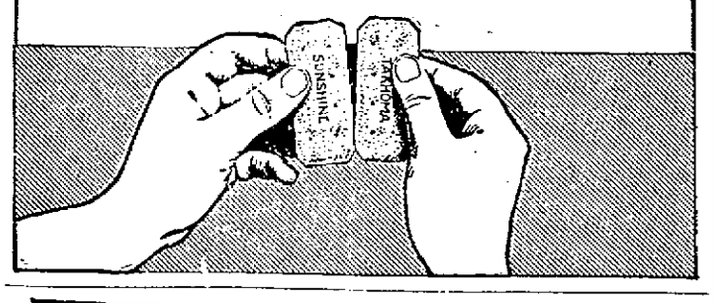

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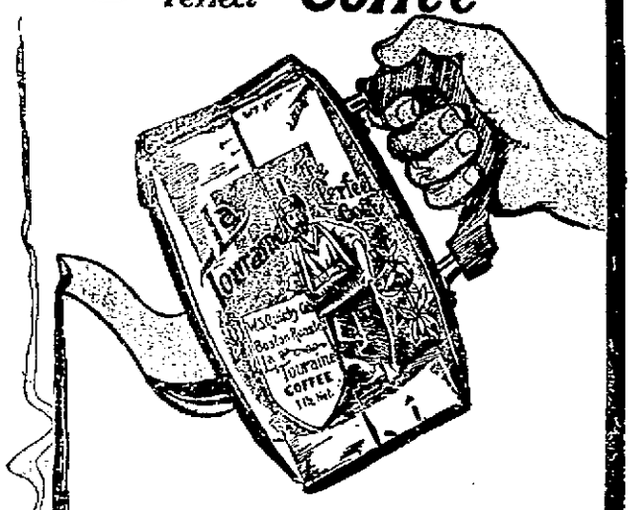

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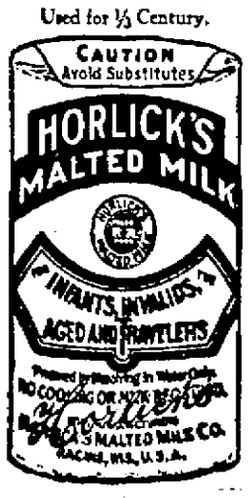

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NOTE—In these columns every Wednesday we will give expert advice to motorists on how to repair and operate their machines. Automobile readers of THE SUN are invited to send in questions or problems they may wish to have answered. Such questions will receive attention in due time. Address all communications: Automobile Editor, Sun, Lowell, Mass. Communications must bear the signature and address of the sender, though not for publication but as a guarantee of good faith.

Will you please give me some information regarding "spring" starters of the coil spring type for Ford cars? Are they durable and satisfactory? Do you know anything about a starter of this kind manufactured by the Frost Manufacturing company of Galesburg, Ill., successors to the Automatic Device company of the same place? M. R.

Ans.—There are a number of spring starters which work very satisfactorily on small cars. It is not possible to discriminate as to which particular make is best. The dealer from whom you purchased your car should be in a position to advise the best type to use.

I have a 1914 Ford touring car and it uses one gallon of cylinder oil every thirty-five or forty miles. I am sure oil does not leak out, but I can hardly keep any oil in case. What would cause this? Any information will be greatly appreciated. F. M.

Ans.—Perhaps too much oil is working past pistons and into the combustion chamber. A set of new rings would overcome this trouble. If there are no leaks of any kind the oil must be burning. Too much oil is not only wasteful, but fouls the engine. Excessive carbonization of the cylinders is caused by too much oil.

I have a single cylinder motorcycle with a Schebler carburetor. When I

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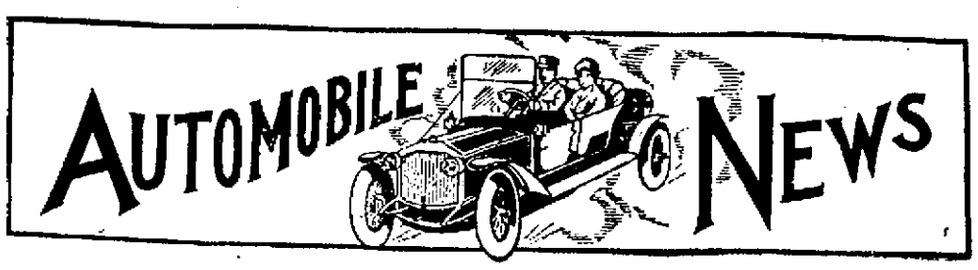

WITH LOCAL DEALERS

WHAT AUTO MEN ARE DOING—MANY SALES AND PROSPECTS REPORTED

The Boston Auto Supply Company, Bridge street, calls attention to the many advantages for Ford owners having an extra demountable rim on their cars. It adds comfort by permitting tires of uniform size to be used on all four wheels; by doing away with tire pumping through an additional rim with tire already inflated and ready to slip on, and furthermore, it adds a feeling of security which is invaluable. Up to date the Boston Auto Supply Co. has equipped a large number of Ford cars with these rims. In speaking of this firm, the writer is reminded of the new Goodrich tire sign which has been put on the window of this shop. It is very attractive and cannot but draw the attention of the passerby; also the delivery car which is now in use by this company for the accommodation of its patrons.

Mr. Rochette of the Lowell Motor Mart is well pleased with his success in securing Ford cars and being able to fill orders promptly. To be able to do so was far more than he expected. It is difficult to state just how long this fortunate situation will continue. Those who are very anxious for quick deliveries will play safe by entering their orders now.

C. W. Johnson and Sons are having enviable success with the Pullman motor car for which they are agents. It is their experience that this is a car with quick sales and that there is no long series of arguments and demonstrations before the prospective buyer can make up his mind that it is a Pullman that he wants.

The bad weather Sunday necessarily altered the plans of George Morrison, the local agent for the attractive Auburn car, but it did not lose any sales for him. It would take more water than was sent from the heavens Sunday to dampen the interest his patrons have in the Auburn.

Arthur Bachelder of the Bachelder shop has a pleasing variety of high grade bicycles which he carries in stock. Here one has a wide choice of different makes of bikes. There are the Racycle, Iver Johnson, Crown and Merkel, each of which is a standard make and can be relied upon to give satisfaction. The prices of these "wheels" are so moderate that they are within the reach of all.

Harry Pitts of Pitts' Auto Supply heartily concurs with Superintendent of Police Redmond Welch who yesterday uttered a warning to automobile owners whose habit it is to leave their car unattended with spare tires insecurely fastened to their cars. Pitts has believed in this kind of preparedness for a long time and has on hand just the kind of a safety-from-thieves device which the chief recommends. Of late the frequency of these larcenies of tires has grown by great leaps and bounds until now one is taking great chances when oh leaves his car with his spare tires insecurely fastened. The cost of these necessary chains is so slight that one has no reasonable excuse for being without them. The chains, which can be obtained at a small cost at Pitts' Auto Supply, can be used for many other purposes than that of securing tires and they really ought to be on every car. Harry says: "Don't lock the stable after the horse has been stolen."

The L. A. Derby company is local service station for the well known Willard storage batteries. Inspection of these batteries or information will be gladly given by the Middle street concern.

The Overland Plant

Mr. Feindel, local agent for the Overland automobile, was a recent guest at the Overland factory, Toledo, Ohio. During his extended stay he saw many things of interest and knowledge. In speaking to the writer this morning about his trip, Mr. Feindel said in part:

"This was my first visit to the Overland plant. Although photos of it and advertising containing descriptions and figures of it had given me sort sort of an idea of its size, I was totally unprepared for the immensity of its operations.

"Imagine a plant taking up four and a half million square feet of floor space, employing over 16,000 people, and with production facilities of a thousand cars per day, the output of which is so popular that even with the factory's capability of turning out a car every 90 seconds during the day, is far behind its orders, and you have some idea of what I saw during my interesting visit.

"The story of the growth of the Willys-Overland company reads like a page from 'Arabian Nights.' Taking over the plant of the Pope Motor Car company in 1908, in eight years Mr. John N. Willys, head of the industry, has raised the Overland to the biggest single automobile manufactory in the world.

"When he first took hold of the Pope establishment his output was 400 cars for the first year. Each day now finds his factory turning out more than twice that number of cars.

"One hundred and twenty-five thousand of the 1916 models, first placed on the market last July, have already been marketed, making it a comparatively easy matter for the Willys-Overland company to keep its promise, that it would manufacture 200,000 cars from July, 1915, to July, 1916.

"Besides visiting the home of the Overland and the Willys-Knight cars, I also inspected the plants of the Electric Auto-Lite and the Tillotson Manufacturing companies—the latter being makers of carburetors. An elaborate program of business and pleasure greeted the New Englanders during their stay in Toledo"

Many Cars Are "Dead"

During the past few years many new makes of cars have come into existence, but, just as among men, so among cars, each has a period of life and then passes away. Since 1909 many cars are now defunct.

Here are some of the cars in question that perhaps the average motorist of today does not remember, although some of them were popular in their time: American, Cameron, Mora, Grout, Midland, Royal Tourist, Matheson, McIntyre, Mason, Anhut, Demot, Chadwick, Badger, Petrol, Elmore F. A. L. Selden, Rider-Lewis and Corbin.

HELPFUL HINTS

A bag made of soft flannel is best in which to keep inner tubes. The mouth of the bag should be tied around the projecting valve.

While putting on nuts and bolts it is an excellent preventive of rust to rub on them a little graphite. When this is done, you have taken out an insurance policy against sticking nuts.

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It is not advisable to use ordinary paint on cylinder casting. A thick coat of paint will prevent radiation. A paint suitable for this use may be obtained at most automobile supply stores.

Care should be exercised in the proper lubrication of ball bearings. Often too heavy or solid lubricant is used. Fluid oil no thinner than the heavier machine oils is very good.

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SACRED HEART MISSION

REV. PATRICK PHELAN, O.M.I., CLOSED WOMEN'S RETREAT THIS MORNING

The women's retreat at the Sacred Heart church was brought to a close this morning. Papal benediction was given after the masses at 5, 7 and 8, and the instruction was on the Catholic doctrine of "Purgatory." Rev. Patrick Phelan, O.M.I., who conducted the mission complimented the women of the parish on their zealous attendance and asked them to use their influence with the men so that the mission of the coming three days would have a like degree of success.

The sermon last evening was preached by Rev. Fr. Phelan who spoke on "Perseverance," which can be secured by prayer, frequent confession and communion, attendance at mass, avoidance of the occasions of sin and devotion to the Blessed Virgin. The chief value of the mission, said the reverend preacher, does not consist in the devotions of the week, but in the influence that it will leave on the future lives of those who attend.

The mission for the men of the Sacred Heart parish will open this evening at 7.30 and will be brought to a close next Sunday. The morning masses will be at 5, 7 and 8 o'clock. It will also be conducted by Rev. Fr. Phelan.

AN ENJOYABLE BANQUET

Yesterday was the third anniversary of Fairburn's New Market in its present location in Merrimack square and the occasion was most fittingly observed and celebrated by the management which tendered to the clerks a delightful banquet consisting of ten courses. The banquet took place in the store and plates were set for twenty-five. After the inner man had been satisfied and the clatter of knives and forks had ceased speeches were in order. Among those to respond was G. Clarence Fairburn, manager of the market who reviewed briefly the history of the firm which was established twenty-four years ago, dwelling on its success and laying special emphasis on the necessity of the co-operation of the clerking force as a lever to success. He also pointed out that prices alone were not sufficient but proper prices must be combined with quality of goods and service. Mr. Morgan, local manager of the Loose-Wiles Biscuit company was a guest at the banquet and he spoke interestingly along the same lines as did Mr. Fairburn. Others who spoke were Miss Katharine O'Connell, head bookkeeper, and the following heads of the various departments of the market: Messrs. Johnson, Gendron, Swanson and Harrington, each of whom voiced his ideas on what should be done in keeping his department in the lead.

At the close of the evening so pleasantly spent the clerks extended a vote of thanks to the management for arranging the pleasant entertainment which continued until a late hour.

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20 YEARS SENTENCE

THREE MEN CONVICTED OF ASSAULT ON DEPUTY SHERIFFS AT PROVIDENCE

PROVIDENCE, R. I., April 12.—Thomas J. Allen, Edward H. Mason and George A. Maher were sentenced to state prison for 20 years by Judge Rathbun in the superior court today, for assault on Deputy Sheriffs Nathan Colvin and R. Ralph Tillinghast, at the time of the escape of 15 prisoners from a van which was on its way to the state institution several weeks ago.

Wilfred Charpentier and Joseph Leonard were sentenced to 17 years and Alfred Pollon was given five years for the same offense.

HARVARD COMMENCEMENT

Exercises Will Be Held in Stadium Instead of in Saunders Theatre—Larger Building Necessary

CAMBRIDGE, April 12.—Commencement exercises at Harvard university this year will be held in the Stadium instead of in Saunders theatre, it was announced today. The change is the result of a vote taken by the board of overseers which considered the situation growing out of the limited capacity of the theatre.

The John E. Hudson professorship in archaeology was instituted by the overseers with the appointment of George H. Chase, curator of the museum of the classical antiquities, as the first holder.

BIG CHECKER TOURNAMENT

The Bay State Checker club will hold a big checker tournament on Wednesday, April 19, at Wells Memorial hall, 987 Washington street, Boston. A number of Boston checker experts have entered in the tournament and will be led by Col. F. L. Irish of Brockton, one of the strongest players in Massachusetts, and at one time champion of the state of Maine. Preparations have been made to have 200 boards, so that all players, irrespective of their playing ability, will have a chance to contest with a player of equal strength. Teams from Lynn, Lawrence, Maynard, Norwood, Hyde Park, Dorchester and other cities are expected to take part in the playing. Applications for entering any of the events can be obtained by writing to the secretary at Wells Memorial hall.

RAILROAD SUSPENDED SERVICE

Lack of Coal Responsible for Spanish Railroad Order to Abandon Service

MADRID, Spain, April 12, via Paris.—The Southern railway, which serves a large section of southern Spain, has notified the government that it has been compelled to suspend service on account of lack of coal.

DEATHS

PAIGE—The death at Newport, Me., is reported of Mrs. Marcia Francis Paige, formerly of this city and widow of the late Victor Paige. She is survived by three brothers, Charles T. Eaton, Winter Hill; Edmund Eaton, Newmarket, N. H.; Freeman Eaton, Dover, N. H.; and two daughters, Belle Bubier, Newport, Me.; Abbie Hanson, Alton, N. H.

BOYNTON—James M. Boynton died yesterday at St. John's hospital, aged 68 years. He leaves three brothers, Captain Henry Boynton of Engine 2, Lowell fire department, Fred of the West Sixth street house, and Charles of Templeton, Mass.; and one sister, Mrs. Abbie Vassette. He lived at 148 Smith street. The body was taken to the rooms of Undertakers Simmons & Brown.

BARRETT—Mrs. Julia (Foye) Barrett, wife of William M. Barrett, died yesterday at her home, 16 West Bowers street, aged 38 years. Besides her husband, she leaves four sons and three daughters, and six brothers, James, John J., Daniel F., Peter H., Charles E., and Frank W. Foye, and four sisters, Margaret A. Foye, Mrs. James Hansbury, Mrs. John J. Ryan and Mrs. Frank McCarthy.

SMALL—John Small, for the past 25 years connected with the Central street store of Cook, Taylor & Co. and a well known resident of this city, died this morning at his home, 88 Royal street, after a short illness. Mr. Small's genial ways won for him many friends and he was recognized throughout New England as one of the best ladies' cloak and suit men in this vicinity.

Mr. Small had been enjoying good health up to the week before last when while in New York making purchases for the store, he contracted a cold which gradually grew worse. Last Thursday he had to give up active work and take to his bed. Pneumonia developed and rapidly overcame him, the end coming this morning.

The deceased was 50 years of age and leaves beside his wife, Nellie, one brother and a sister.

HANSON—Hattie B. Hanson, formerly of Lowell, died at the home of her sister, Mrs. Mearle Corson, in Madison, Me., April 8. She is survived by one brother, John of Portland, Me.; three sisters, Mrs. E. Miller of Lowell, Mrs. William Clarke of Spring Hill, Nova Scotia, and Mrs. Mearle Corson of Madison, Me.

RICHARDSON—Mrs. Mary Richardson, a well known resident of this city and formerly of Drexel Navy Yard, died early this morning at her home, 742 Lawrence street, after a brief illness, aged 51 years. She leaves to mourn her loss her husband, Henry E., one son, Thomas H., three daughters, Caroline A., Mary A., and Elizabeth M. Richardson, all of this city, and two brothers, John of Chelsea and Patrick McManus of London; one sister, Caroline McManus in Ireland.

DUCHESNE—William, aged 1 month and 16 days, died last night at the home of the parents, Hypolite and Melvina Duchesne, 503 Moody street. Burial took place this afternoon at 3 o'clock in St. Joseph's cemetery under the direction of Undertakers Joseph Albert & Son.

LACHARITE—Thomas, aged 1 year, 4 months and 8 days, died last night at the home of the parents, Charles and Aurelie Lacharite. Burial took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock in St. Joseph's cemetery under the direction of Undertakers Amedee Archambault & Son.

FUNERAL NOTICES

BARRETT—The funeral of the late Mrs. Julia (Foye) Barrett will take place Friday morning at 8 o'clock from her home, 16 West Bowers street. A mass of requiem will be sung at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

BOYNTON—Died in this city, April 11, at St. John's hospital, Mr. James M. Boynton, aged 68 years. Funeral services will be held from the chapel of Undertakers Simmons & Brown, 96 Branch street, on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends are invited. Burial private. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Simmons & Brown.

GOODROW—The funeral of the late Noel Goodrow will take place Thursday morning at 9 o'clock from his home, 184 Cumberland road. A mass of requiem will be sung at St. Louis church at 10 o'clock. Burial in St. Joseph's cemetery, in charge of James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

HOLDEN—The funeral of the late William H. Holden, will take place Thursday morning at 9 o'clock from his home, 219 Salem street. At 10 o'clock a solemn high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Patrick's church by Rev. Wm. Dacey, of the Holy Cross cathedral, Boston, brother-in-law of deceased. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

MERRILL—Died in this city, April 10, at her home, 17 Wachusett street, Mrs. Lilla Z. Merrill, aged 46 years, 11 months. Prayers at her home, 17 Wachusett street, Thursday afternoon at 1.30 o'clock. Funeral services from the Fifth Street Baptist church at 2 o'clock. Friends invited to attend. Burial private. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers Young & Blake.

TYRELL—The funeral of the late William B. Tyrell will take place on Thursday morning at 8 o'clock from the funeral parlors of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons. High mass of requiem will be sung at St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery, Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

SMALL—Died in this city, April 12, at his home, 88 Royal street, John Small, aged 50 years. Funeral services will be held from his home, 88 Royal street Friday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Friends invited to attend. Burial private. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers Young and Blake.

QUINLAN—The funeral of John P. Quinlan will take place on Thursday morning at 8 o'clock from the home of his brother, William H. Quinlan, 24 Stanley street. High mass of requiem will be celebrated at the Immaculate Conception church at 9 o'clock. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery. Funeral in charge of Undertakers Higgins Bros.

RICHARDSON—The funeral of Mrs. Mary Richardson will take place Friday morning from her home, 742 Lawrence street, at 8 o'clock. At the Sacred Heart church a funeral high mass of requiem will be celebrated at 9 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers O'Connell & Mack in charge of funeral arrangements.

FUNERALS

CURRAN—The funeral services of Arthur C. Curran, instructor on the Bay State street railway, were held at his home, 179 School street, yesterday afternoon, and were largely attended by relatives and friends, who were associated with him on the railroad. The services were conducted by Rev. Ernest R. Trites, pastor of the Chelmsford St. Baptist church. Misses Adda Thomas and Ina Beardsley sang "The Christian's Goodnight" and "Sometime We'll Understand." The following delegates represented the Bay State street railway: George Fellowe, Edwin Lussier, Frank Rourke and William Wright. There were many floral offerings, as follows: Pillow of white roses inscribed "Father," the family; wreath on base, Division 280, street railway employes; star and crescent, brothers and sisters, cross on base, finishing department, Lowell hosiery; basket of roses and lilies, clerical force and Paul Doherty of the A. G. Pollard Co., and tributes from Boyle family, instruction department of the Bay State street railway, Division 261 of Lawrence street railway, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Barnard and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Bigelow, Loretta Labarge, Mr. and Mrs. Craig Johnson and Mrs. Dahlgren, Mr. and Mrs. Bass, Mr. and Mrs. John Harrington, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew McDonald, Hyacinth club, Mr. and Mrs. Sheehee, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Donard and family, Mr. and Mrs. William Mitchel, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bancroft and Maude Webster, Mrs. Daisy Williams, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Conger, Mr. and Mrs. R. Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. C. Curran and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Sargent, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lees and Master Lees, Mr. and Mrs. Sproule and family, Margaret Seeton's class of the Pawtucket Sunday school, Mr. and Mrs. C. Barton and daughters, Ira Hoothby, Mrs. F. G. Collins, Mr. and Mrs. H. Bent, Haverhill division of the Bay State street railway. The bearers were all employes of the Bay State Co. and friends of the deceased, Messrs. Andrew Evans, Amos Sanborn, Edward Welch, William Mitchell, Frank Bancroft and Fred Huff. Burial was in the family lot in the Westlawn cemetery, where the committal service was read by Rev. Mr. Trites. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers Simmons & Brown.

McLAUGHLIN—The funeral of Alexander McLaughlin was held yesterday afternoon from the rooms of Undertaker Peter H. Savage. Among the floral offerings were a pillow from the family, and a spray from John McLaughlin. The bearers were Messrs. John and Charles Watson, Michael Brady and William Mulholland. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, where Rev. Timothy J. Callahan of St. Patrick's church recited the committal prayers.

JOHNSON—The funeral of Mrs. Lillian E. Johnson was held from her home in the Groton road in Westford yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Nathaniel W. Matthews, pastor of the First Primitive Methodist church. Appropriate selections were sung by the Mendelssohn male quartet. The bearers were Messrs. Graham Whidden, Frederic Snow, David Ellison and Willard Fletcher. Burial was in the family lot in the cemetery at West Chelmsford. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

CROWELL—The funeral services of Mrs. Lucy A. Crowell took place at her home in Wright street, North Chelmsford yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Franklin H. Reeves, pastor of the Congregational church at North Chelmsford, and Rev. Chester Underhill of Weymouth. The bearers were Messrs. Harry Crowell, Walter B. Pierce, Daniel Floyd and H. C. Crowell. Burial was in the family lot in Corner cemetery, Billerica, where the burial service was read by Rev. Mr. Reeves. The funeral was under the direction of Undertakers Young & Blake.

COLE—The funeral of Mrs Delia Cole took place this morning at 8 30 o'clock from the home of her nephew, William Brown, 4 Fifth street. A funeral high mass was celebrated at 9 o'clock in the Immaculate Conception church by Rev. Fr. Stanton, O.M.I. The burial was in Westlawn cemetery. The bearers were Messrs. E. Lettrell, Russell Fox, Michael O'Hagan and Henry Alexander. There were many floral tributes placed on the grave. The funeral was in charge of Undertaker Charles H. Molloy.

GILLIS—The funeral of Mrs. Flora Gillis took place this morning at 8 o'clock from the home of her sister, Mrs. Thomas McAfee, 305 Concord st, and wended its way to the Immaculate Conception church, where at 9.45 a high mass of requiem was celebrated by the Rev. Owen P. McQuaid, O.M.I., although it was the request of the family not to send flowers, there were several beautiful floral tributes laid upon the grave and among them were the following: Large standing wreath on base from the shopmates of the Massachusetts cloth room, and spiritual bouquets from Thomas McAfee, Mrs. B. Teague, Mrs. Mary McAfee, Miss Nora Teague, Mrs. J. Teague, Miss Margaret Hammersly, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cassidy, Mrs. Martin Crowe, Mr. John Haggerty, Carlin family, John McAfee and several others.

The casket was borne by the following bearers: Messrs. Bernard Teague, James Teague, Martin Crowe and James Carlin. The burial took place in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read at the grave by the Rev. Owen P. McQuaid, O.M.I. The funeral was in charge of Undertakers Higgins Bros.

SHEA—The funeral of Catherine Shea took place this morning from her home, 232 Adams street, at 8.15 o'clock and was largely attended. At St. Patrick's church a high mass of requiem was celebrated at 9 o'clock by Rev. Timothy P. Callahan. Among the floral tributes were: Pillow inscribed "Mother" from the family, and tributes from Mr. and Mrs. McCarthy and family, Etna Campers, Mr. and Mrs. John Gilligan, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Mealey. The bearers were Patrick Harrington, Patrick McCarthy, John Shea, Patrick Sullivan, John Sullivan and Jeremiah O'Neil. Interment was in St. Patrick's cemetery. Rev. Timothy P. Callahan reading the committal prayers. Undertaker Peter H. Savage was in charge of funeral arrangements.

WHIDDEN—The funeral of Clarence W. Whidden, one of the best known banking men of this city, took place this afternoon from the home of Henry W. Barnes, president of the Central Savings bank, and a very close friend of deceased, 50 Huntington street. The service was largely attended by friends, relatives and business men, including several from out-of-town, as well as delegates from the Central Savings bank, of which deceased had been president for a number of years, and from Kilwinning lodge and Pilgrim Commandery. The service was conducted at 2 o'clock by Rev. A. C. Ferrin, pastor of the High Street Congregational church of which deceased had been an attendant for a number of years. The bearers were two sons of deceased, Roswell B. and Charles D. Whidden, with two brothers, Graham R. and Ralph Whidden. Burial was in the family lot in the Lowell cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. A. C. Ferrin. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Henry W. Barnes under the direction of Undertaker George W. Healey.

PERROY—The funeral of Mrs. Adolphe Perron took place this morning from her home, 41 Hanover street. Solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated at St. Joseph's church at 9 o'clock by Rev. Joseph Holduc, O.M.I., assisted by Rev. C. A. Paquette, O.M.I. and Rev. Charles Denizot, O.M.I., as deacon and sub deacon. The bearers were J. Omer Smith, Pierre Mainville, Eugene Savard, Adelard Trottrchaud, Joseph Lajoie and Nelson Brown. Among the floral offerings were tributes from Mrs. Mary Deschesnes, Frechette family and Mrs. Joseph Lajoie. Among the out-of-town relatives attending the funeral were Mrs. Cyrille Toussaint and Alpha Toussaint of Salmon Falls, N. H. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Armand Baron, O.M.I. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers Joseph Albert & Son.

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HOUSING AND ANNEXATION

The great object of annexation to this city is to find room—room for factories, room for new streets, room for development of all kinds, but away and above all, room for homes. It is, or it should be, generally understood that Lowell houses its teeming population in a space about half as large as that of the average city of Massachusetts, and hence the main reason of the housing and tenement problems to which The Sun is calling attention. To properly house the working population of Lowell within the city limits it is necessary to erect large composite dwellings where instead of living in a healthful, comfortable way, ten or twelve or more families are thrown together in a proximity that is not healthy in any sense. All progressive cities are striving to get away from the large tenement block and are passing laws to that end. When will Lowell get away from it properly by going out and finding room for growth?

This is a question that should attract the immediate attention of the committee on Lowell's housing problems, recently appointed by the board of trade. It may be that the members of the committee will have serious suggestions of a different kind, but there is a large and growing group of citizens who believe that Lowell's most immediate need is annexation of new territory. There is also a responsible and large group of leading cities in the towns nearest to us who favor annexation with Lowell as a mutual aid and as an impetus to city and town development.

At the present time, most of the people who live in Dracut work in Lowell and a great part of the population of North Chelmsford do so likewise. Many of them would prefer to live in Lowell, but they cannot find conditions as desirable. They are willing to put up with the limitations of town management in order to enjoy life in a free, open atmosphere that is God's gift to all. They prefer the clean, open country to the brick court and the narrow, dirty alley, and to enjoy town life they are willing to put up with poor lighting service, a poor water supply, poor streets and the other disadvantages of the smaller communities. It is a poor policy for Lowell to watch more and more of its population going to live across the city boundaries, but unless something is done and that quickly, our population will remain stationary or it may decrease. It was with a shock that we realized after the last census that New Bedford had pushed us down to the sixth place, and the prospect is not rosy unless we annex more territory.

This question is surely broad enough, timely enough and important enough to warrant a public meeting at which citizens of Lowell and of the towns may exchange ideas for and against annexation. Unless the city takes the initiative, nothing will be done, and it is the firm conviction of The Sun after long and deep study and after comparison with cities all around us that Lowell stands urgently in need of annexation as a solution of some of our most vexing problems. If Dracut, for instance, should be annexed to Lowell tomorrow, hundreds of Lowell citizens would consider taking up homes in the new and most desirable section, and what would be the gain of the city would be proportionately the gain of the town.

Annexation is nothing new for Lowell; without it we would still be living in the town of Chelmsford. We recently celebrated our 50th anniversary. In these 50 years we have annexed many sections, and every annexation was for the general good. In 1851 Belvidere was annexed from Tewksbury; in 1851 Centralville was annexed from Dracut; in 1874 Middlesex Village was annexed; in 1879 about 395 acres were annexed from Dracut and in 1888 some 192 acres were annexed from Tewksbury. Since then we have annexed Wigginville and the Oaklands. Each annexation improved Lowell and added to its population. It also to a greater degree built up the district annexed. We now stand in need of annexation as strikingly as at any time in our history and we will have to annex more territory and grow right or stay as we are and grow the best way we may.

BUSINESS EDUCATION

In nothing is there a better outlook for American business than in the new spirit of enterprise that is sweeping over the country. Everybody who reads knows that efforts are being made to increase domestic and foreign trade as never before, but there are specific instances of initiative evident from time to time that speak of a renewed and efficient America such as was undreamed of before the war.

Close relations are now being established between the universities and business. As one instance of it, a novel move in a new field has just been made by the progressive National bank of New York. This bank proposes to establish scholarships of $50 a month for selected students who will take one year of their university training in the bank. They are to receive credit in the school for this year of specialized training.

The object of this move is not far to seek. It is by no means philanthropic. This great bank, which was one of the first to take advantage of the revised currency law, realizes that before long American finance will dominate the world, and it is anxious to prepare a group of educated and specially trained men who shall be available when the country needs them. Branch banks in South America, the Orient and everywhere will be one of the features of government extension in the near future.

The relationship of the university to general business may be seen in many other ways. We now have the school of journalism, the engineering colleges, the technical courses in connection with large manufacturing plants, the commercial colleges, in touch with business offices and many other indications of the new belief that American business should have the service of highly trained and scientific men who may be equipped to do for their country what the trained men of other countries have been doing to a greater extent for many years.

Cultural or academic education will not suffer through this process of specializing, and it is better to have the graduate who is ready for something definite than the "educated" graduate who is really fit for nothing.

TEN PER CENT INCREASE

At the time that an increase in the wages of mill operatives was announced, The Sun expressed the hope that the companies would see their way clear to grant an increase of ten per cent. This has now been done by the American Woolen company, employing 25,000 operatives, and The Sun hastens to offer congratulations to the company and to the operatives. The increase will not affect Lowell in as great proportion as it will affect Lawrence, Manchester, New Bedford and other cities, but nevertheless it will cause gratification and optimism in all the textile cities.

While it may not be possible for all the textile companies to grant ten per cent, it would seem that most companies can do so. During the past year the mills have shared considerably in the general prosperity and they ought to be willing to pass a reasonable proportion of this prosperity around. Because of the great demand for labor in all industries and the new opportunities that have opened up to textile operatives, it is important for the mills to secure a contented class of workers, and nothing will do this sooner than a wage increase that comes voluntarily. It is the conviction of this paper that before long those mills that have not yet seen their way to grant increases will do so and that the increase in almost all cases will be at least ten per cent.

ARMY AEROPLANES

One of the advantages of the present expedition into Mexico has been to call special attention to the army aero service which is apparently not what it ought to be. Until the great war little attention was given the subject in this country but the importance of the aviation branches is so apparent in foreign countries that it can no longer be ignored in this country. The aviators of the American First Aero squadron recently complained that they have not received sufficient co-operation to make their work effective, and the failure of men and machines in the early stages of the Mexican expedition go to bear out their statement. In the eight years that this government has taken up aviation, 50 machines have been purchased, only half of which now are in commission. Most of these are out of date and unsuited to present conditions. In that time, too, twenty-three aviators or 65 per cent have been killed. These facts should call government attention to this important branch of the army, and navy, and judging from the views expressed by Secretary Daniels at the congressional committee investigation, the aero service is in the way of being made more efficient and up-to-date.

COOKING PREPAREDNESS

A novel note on a very common subject was injected into the preparedness debate in congress a few days ago by Senator Smoot, who urged increased appropriations for home economics "to prepare the girls and mothers of the country for their life duties." Senator Smoot lamented the fact that the American garbage can is the fatter in the world, and his reflection was: "It is a crime and is wicked in the sight of God to have the products of the farm made next to useless by poor cooking." Lest he should be supposed too old fashioned and out of touch with progress, he added: "I am an advocate of higher education possible for women, but I do believe no woman's education is complete until she knows how and could, if required, manage a home successfully." There is nothing in this that is new, but it is refreshing and encouraging to find such straight old fashioned truths put forward so pointedly where they will do good.

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SEEN AND HEARD

After a man has been vindicated he ceases to attract attention.

Every town has its distinction. In Coatesville, Pa., the barbers do not cut hair on Saturdays.

Some women marry for money, some for love and some for a man. It is not known why men marry.

While women are a good deal interested in the drama, the church wedding is their favorite form of theatrical performance.

If half the people enjoy any particular form of amusement or sport the other half endeavors to get a bill through the legislature prohibiting it.

New Aid to College Work

"When I went to college," said the boy's father, "I put my time studying. I didn't have a rich father to buy me an automobile to carry me to and from my classrooms."

"That's just the trouble," replied his son. "I have to spend so much time tinkering with that car that I can't get around to studying my lessons. Now, if you'd hire a chauffeur for me I'd be able to make a better showing in my classes."

He'd Make Good Fuel

Thomas Nelson Page, United States ambassador to Italy, tells the following story:

"Whenever I see a toothpick I think of a dinner that was given in Rome in honor of two Turkish noblemen. I sat near the younger of the noblemen. He glittered with gold embroidery and great diamonds, but nevertheless I pitied him sincerely, for he was strange to our table manners; and some of his errors were both ludicrous and painful.

"Toward the end of the dinner a servant brought to the young man a plate of toothpicks. He waved the plate away.

"'No, thank you,' he said; 'I have already eaten two of the awful things. I want no more!'"

Is He Out Yet?

A man was tried before a Wisconsin judge for horse stealing. When it came time for the lawyers on both sides to tell the judge what instructions they wanted to give the jury in addition to the points covered in his own charge, the attorney for the defense said:

"I respectfully ask Your Honor to charge the jury that it is a fundamental principle of law in this country that it is better for 99 guilty men to escape than for one innocent man to be found guilty."

"Yes, that is true," said the judge, reflectively, "and I so instruct the jury, but I will add that it is the opinion of the court that the 99 guilty men have already escaped."

Pigeons Were Drunk

Dobbs Ferry, N. J., residents were shocked at the sight of intoxicated pigeons trying to stagger home after an enforced absence.

During the last week 100 pigeons belonging to various persons were stolen. Two boys were found with seven pigeons, and when arraigned they confessed that they were members of a gang of pigeon thieves. The boys were released on suspended sentences when they promised to get the other lads to liberate the stolen pigeons. This was done and the air was full of birds.

A company of pigeons that had made their home around the brewery lured the recently freed ones to the malt heaps outside the brewery, where all wined and dined. They became inebriated, as their unavailing efforts to get back to their houses testified.—New York Sun.

WHY HAIR FALLS OUT

Dandruff causes a feverish irritation of the scalp, the hair roots shrink, loosen and then the hair comes out fast. To stop falling hair at once and rid the scalp of every particle of dandruff, get a 25-cent bottle of Danderine at any drug store, pour a little in your hand and rub well into the scalp. After a few applications all dandruff disappears and the hair stops coming out.

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When your child suffers from a cold don't wait; give the little stomach, liver and bowels a gentle, thorough cleansing at once. When cross, peevish, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, eat or act naturally; if breath is bad, stomach sour, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the clogged-up, constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again.

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AMUSEMENT NOTES

OPERA HOUSE

Proclaimed by the press and the hundreds of theatregoers who have already seen the play, "the greatest stage success ever brought to Lowell"—"David Harum"—this week's offering of the Emerson Players at the Opera house is certain to smash all former records made by this incomparable aggregation of stock stars. Never before has any play made such a great impression and never before has there been such a big demand for seats for any attraction. In order to avoid disappointment, it is wise to make reservations early and for as early in the week as possible. Reservations can be made by 'phoning 261.

Edward Nannary, the popular character man of the Emerson Players, who has scored big in previous offerings of the company, is seen at his best in "David Harum," and he plays the part with all the smoothness and mannerisms of William H. Crane who starred in the play for three solid years throughout the country at two dollar prices. Mr. Nannary plays the part just as he lived it, handling the many splendid situations with perfect ease. Herbert Heyes as John Lennox is very good in his portrayal of the character while Ann O'Day as Mary Blake, who is in love with John and who has developed a dislike for Mr. Harum, is all that the author intended.

Joe Crehan in the character of Chet Timpson furnishes many laughs. Ben Hadfield, Ray Martinez, Dick Barry, Gilberta Faust, Erina Irwin, Frank Wright, Forrest Gordon and other members of the company, in the various characters which made this play one of the most famous ever produced on the American stage, acquit themselves admirably. It is a production that is flawless even to the scenic production, not the slightest detail being missing.

"David Harum" is a play of tears and laughter with the main plot of the play written around the village "king," although there is a beautiful love story between John Lennox and Mary Blake, the New York girl who has come to Homeville to teach school. "David Harum" is a play with a great appeal for its story touches the heart strings of everyone.

As the attraction is positively limited to one week, patrons should make reservations early and arrange to see the play as early as possible. 'Phone 261 now and your seats will be held. Owing to the demand for tickets, reservations will be held until 1.45 in the afternoon and 7.45 in the evening.

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

Everybody likes a musical hodgepodge, with pretty girlies, gay comedians and the sort of tunes which are easily remembered. That's the kind "The Betting Bettys" is, and it toplines the seven acts at the B. F. Keith theatre, this week. It is described as "a racy, pacy musical comedy," and it's that and considerable more. Two unctuous comedians appear in it, Percy Chapman and Johnny Morris, and their antics are alone worth the price of admission. It's all about a day at the races, with pretty girls appearing in different gowns with alarming frequency. They go through about six different costumes, and wind up as jockeys. It's sure some little musical comedy, and it goes with a pep and zing that is delightful. Leo Beers, an entertainer, has an easy, nonchalant sort of way of doing things. Beers sings songs and talks and plays the piano the meanwhile. He's a tall, good looking chap who dresses in the modern manner, and who walks on and off in as un-actor-like a manner as possible. His songs are on a lot of different topics, yet they're all good, and the point in them isn't hard to find. He is truly an entertainer of the quiet but effective kind. Bert Savoy and Jay Brennan in "On the Rialto" have an uproariously funny skit. Savoy plays the part of the chorus girl who delights in telling of her adventures, while Brennan is the ticket speculator who agrees to listen. The combination is very good, and it is productive of many merry laughs. Galetti's simians do some remarkable stunts. The barber shop scene at the close of their act is very funny. Just how M. Galetti gets the smaller of the two monkeys to stand for the carving from the larger is a wonder. Frank and Edrie Fisher in "Perseverance" present a comedy with music which is well done, and Gladys Van and Arthur Pearce offer songs, dances and repartee in "Get a License." The bill opens with Dolly and Evelyn two pretty young women who do a little bit of everything and close on bicycles. Good seats for all performances may be obtained in advance. Telephone number 28.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

Don't fail to see the stellar program of delightful and entertaining motion pictures which will be shown at the continuous performance at the Merrimack Square theatre today for the last time. John Barrymore, the famous comedian will make his final appearances today in the screamingly funny comedy drama, "Nearly a King." In this amusing play which is laid in Europe John Barrymore plays the role of a reckless young man who closely resembles the Prince of Bulwana. Having but little regard for royalty he is rash enough to flirt with a princess who, unknown to him, thinks that he is really the prince. The fact that he is in appearance greatly like the prince together with the fact that he acts on impulse never counting the cost nor considering the consequences, gets him into many a ridiculous situation which from the viewpoint of the audience is highly amusing. Lenore Ulrich will also be seen today for the last time in the other five-act feature "The Heart of Paula," which is a gripping story of the Mexican border. It is a story of the faithful devotion and deep love of a woman for a man. The funny Sis Hopkins comedy will also be included on the program for today as well as other pictures.

One of the features on the bill for the last half of this week at the Merrimack Square theatre starting with the performance tomorrow afternoon will be "The Race," starring Victor Moore and Anita King. The play has to deal with the adventures of a frivolous wife of a wealthy automobile manufacturer and is suggested by the recent record trip of Anita King in an automobile, an unassisted ride of three thousand miles across the continent. Another attraction on the bill for the next three days will be "Secret Love," featuring the charming and accomplished Helen Ware. "Secret Love" is a triple love story of heart interest which everyone should see. Other pictures which will please the universal taste will also be shown during the latter half of this week at the Merrimack Square theatre.

OWL THEATRE

The feature photoplay at the Owl theatre today and tomorrow, will be another of those popular Fox productions entitled "The Ruling Passion." Appearing in the stellar roles of this wonderful story of India, are two of the most famous dramatic stars in the motion picture world, William Shay and Claire Whitney.

"The Ruling Passion" deals with a young English girl, the wife of a captain stationed in India. The native prince of this district has a peculiar hypnotic influence over all women and in the course of time, the captain's wife falls a victim, and during her husband's absence she elopes with the prince and is placed in his harem. Disillusioned, she escapes from the household of the prince and goes to a native hut. Meanwhile the natives under the leadership of the prince plan to rebel against the English government. The conspiracy is betrayed by an abused servant of the prince and the rebellion is quickly put down. How the evil-hearted prince meets the fate which he deserves and how the young girl is finally found in the hut near the point of death and how she dies begging forgiveness, forms a story which is without a doubt, one of the most stirring which has ever been released from the Fox studios. A big surrounding show has also been arranged which will be presented in conjunction with this feature photodrama.

ROYAL THEATRE

Something is puzzling the millions of movie fans throughout the land, it is the identity of "the Laughing Mask," the baffling personage in "The Iron Claw" shown at the Royal theatre today and tomorrow. This good-natured gentleman,—or lady—has everyone of us guessing, and it's a great mystery. What with Pearl White, Creighton Hale and Sheldon Lewis, this famous serial offers an exceptionally good dish. The latest episode released is shown specially at the Royal as an extra mid-week attraction, and every week it is proving more popular than ever. Another fine attraction on the same program is the four-act Lubin-Unit feature, called "Saved From the Harem," telling the harrowing experiences of an American girl in India. How Uncle Sam's boys effect her escape from a life of bondage, offers one of the most exciting stories ever filmed. A number of other two-reel and single plays will complete this magnificent program. Coming Friday and Saturday, a real preparedness film, "Guarding Old Glory." Every man, woman and child should see this patriotic film.

JEWEL THEATRE

Glen White, Jane Novak and Richard Stanton are a trio who certainly are bringing credit to Universal films. Their work in "Graft" of which an episode will be shown at the Jewel theatre today and tomorrow, smacks of the unusual. Stanton' forceful personality, White's fiendishness and Miss Novak's beauty and charm are a combination that are rarely met.

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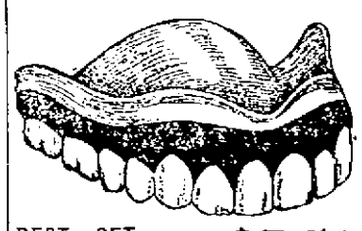

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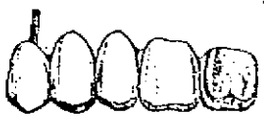

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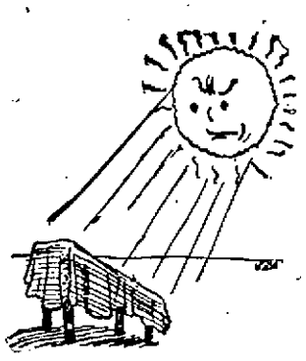

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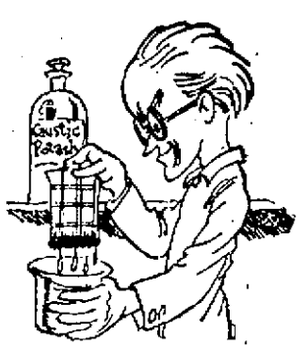

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SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

Instructions to the delegates who are to attend the grand court convention in Lynn in May were received at last evening's meeting of Court Merrimack 11, Foresters of America, held in Grafton hall with Chief Ranger Edward J. McInerney in the chair. Two applications for membership were received and referred. The sick committee reported that Brothers Owen Tighe, Thomas Hayden and Thomas McCabe are improved. Important business was transacted and remarks were made by John Barrett, John F. Sullivan and Thomas F. Kelley.

Echo Lodge, N.E.O.P.

Considerable business was transacted at the regular meeting of Echo lodge, N.E.O.P., held last night in Post 185 hall. Applications for membership were received and a social hour was enjoyed. An entertainment committee was appointed to arrange a program for the next meeting.

MILFORD STRIKE ENDS

TEN PER CENT INCREASE IN WAGES IS GRANTED TO QUARRYMEN

MILFORD, N. H., April 12.—The quarrymen's strike of more than a month was settled at a meeting of the committees representing the manufacturers and strikers last night in Granite hall. The manufacturers conceded the 10 per cent wage increase for which the men struck. The 400 men are expected to return to work at once.

Today the committees will sit again on the granite cutters' demands, and it is anticipated that an agreement will be as readily reached in their case.

The new agreement is to run four years, beginning from May 1. Engineers who were paid $2.25 a day under the old schedule will receive $2.50 under the new one; quarrymen who got $2.16 will receive $2.35; quarry blacksmiths who got $3 will now get $3.32.

Samuel A. Lovejoy of the Lovejoy Granite company is chairman of the manufacturers' committee and Frank Gardner is chairman of the strikers' committee. Three hundred striking cutters are involved in the hoped-for settlement for today, but 500 will benefit if the increase is granted.

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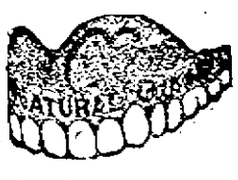

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MOODY CLUB CASE

Continued

out at length a week ago and concluded today. Cecil P. Dodge, Thomas J. Boyle, Henry Bousquet and John E. Lovejoy were all found guilty of promoting a public boxing match and sparring exhibition on March 24. Mr. Dodge was fined $20 and the others had their cases filed.

In the complaint charging Cecil P. Dodge, Henry J. Sullivan, Harry D. Chaplin, Cornelius F. Desmond, Jr., and James O'Connor with the same offence on March 31, Mr. Dodge pleaded nolo and was fined $30. The others were found not guilty by agreement.

The third case accusing Messrs. Dodge, Sullivan, Desmond, O'Connor and Wallace W. Rogerson with the same complaint on April 7, was disposed of in the same way. Mr. Dodge after entering a plea of nolo, was fined $50 and the other four were found not guilty.

Patrick Sweeney, the referee, and Victor Mello and James Spillane, boxers, pleaded nolo to a charge of engaging in a public boxing match and sparring exhibition on April 7. Their cases were placed on file.

In disposing of the cases, Judge Enright advised the young men to keep away from boxing bouts hereafter. "You might be more unfortunate next time and not have a man like Mr. Dodge backing you."

The government's side of the evidence was put in last week. When the case was recalled today Attorney Tierney requested Supt. Welch to be sworn in and testify. He then asked:

"Have you the ticket that Mr. Barry put in evidence last week?"

"Yes." Supt. Welch then displayed a Moody club membership ticket, which he said he found on his desk. He was unable to give any information as to how the card got into his office.

"Did Mr. Dodge call on you before he opened these entertainments?"

"Yes"

"Did he show you his stationery?"

"He showed me some tickets."

"Didn't he leave one on your desk?"

"He did not."

The chief said that since the arrest of the Moody club members he knew the Triangle A. A. had conducted an entertainment in the Academy of Music. At first the superintendent said he did not recall a conversation with anyone relative to the Triangle A. A., but later admitted talking with a Mr. Connors. The latter asked if the police would object to boxing exhibitions and he was informed that they would if the law was violated.

This concluded the evidence, Mr. Tierney stating that he would offer no further defence. Before beginning the arguments, it was agreed that whether or not the contestants at the matches were paid would have no bearing on the case.

In opening his argument, Mr. Tierney said: "In 12 communities that I know of boxing is conducted legally, properly and decently. I was pleased to read in the newspapers a few weeks ago about supreme court justices, cabinet members and other government officials attending a boxing match in New York city. I also recall that on that same night thousands of people stood in Merrimack square in the cold and rain and listened to the newspaper reports of that bout.

"The question involved here is not whether a few people got by the gatekeeper, some under orders of the chief of police; but if the management did not have an earnest desire to abide with the laws. Mr. Dodge did have an honest and fair desire to have these entertainments confined to members of the club. He cordially greeted police officers sent there and requested them to report to him any violation of the law that they detected."

Supt. Welch said that it was immaterial what he, Mr. Tierney or anyone else thought of the boxing game. The whole question is whether the Moody club conducted a public boxing match on March 24, thereby violating the law. He reviewed the evidence of Patrolman Drewett that on that evening men went to the Playhouse with Triangle tickets and exchanged them at a table for Moody club tickets. One of our recruits, said the chief, presented a Triangle ticket in the stairway that night and was given a Moody club ticket to entitle him to admission. That is the essence of this case and that is why we claim it was public.

"So far as exhibitions in other states are concerned it depends on the laws of those states," said the court. "Every state has its own law. Here in Massachusetts it is different."

His Honor then cited a decision of the supreme court in the case of the commonwealth vs. Mack, in which a finding of guilty was made. All this follows what was done in the Moody case and the supreme court said that this form of securing membership tickets was only a subterfuge to get the people and not a bona fide conducted club.

"I am satisfied," continued the court, "that it is next to impossible to run a boxing match in compliance with the law unless you close the doors to the public. The Mathews or the Yorick club might do this legally; but where a hall is leased, newspapers are used for advertising and men go to the ticket office for membership cards, it is not a properly conducted club. I haven't any doubt but there was a violation of the law and I must find the men guilty."

After this finding had been made, Mr. Tierney said that in the other cases the evidence would be practically the same and he did not think it was necessary to take up so much of the court's time. The findings as mentioned above were then agreed upon and read by Assistant Clerk Trull.

Other Cases

The rest of today's police court list was short. Allen McDonald of East Billerica pleaded guilty to being a common drunkard. He has been drinking heavily of late, said the officers, and when drunk uses indecent language to his wife and family. On the promise that he would abstain from the use of intoxicants, McDonald was given a suspended sentence of four months in jail.

Edward Cote, who yesterday appealed from a two months' sentence to jail for larceny from Miss Lucy Gingras of First street, withdrew his appeal today and the sentence was affirmed.

A Belvidere merchant was in court today for violating the automobile law by driving a machine that had not been registered. The case was filed.

The famous Perry's court-Collinsville cases, assault and battery, were called today, but as Attorney Neal, who represents the government, is ill, all cases were continued until next Thursday. One woman was sent to jail for 15 days and there were a few releases.

THE ARCHIBALD BOY

Paul Archibald, the 11-year-old boy struck by an automobile in Merrimack street yesterday, is reported to be resting as comfortably as can be expected today. He is still on the dangerous list, however, yet it is hoped that he will recover.

TENEMENT to let, with garden, Westford road, Chelmsford, Mass.; 15 minutes from Middlesex st. car, off Wood st. Also cows for sale. A. Adams, Westford road, Box, 98.

CITY HALL NEWS

Continued

his statement relative to the new high school Mr. Duncan stated that in order for him to favor the acquisition of more land and the building of a $1,000,000 school he would have to be shown wherein it was absolutely necessary for the city to construct so big a school at this time.

Dr. Sherman Nominated

After calling the meeting to order the mayor referred to the law requiring the council to nominate one or more animal inspectors to be approved by the commission of animal industry and he suggested that the present inspector, Dr. William A. Sherman, be nominated. It was so voted.

The mayor read a notice from James F. Brosnan of the police department. It was a claim of $227.04 for salary from Feb. 18, 1915, to April 14, 1915. The matter was referred to the law department.

The Lowell Electric Light corporation had sent a bill to the public safety department for $33.60 and the mayor read a letter in explanation of the bill. It seems that the inspector of wires borrowed 193 lights for the Christmas tree on the common in 1915 and that only 25 of the lights had been returned. That was a shortage of 168 lights which, valued at 20 cents a piece, amounted to $33.60. The matter was referred to the committee on claims and the inspector will also be asked to submit a report.

Inspector of Buildings

The ordinance brought in by Commissioner Donnelly at yesterday's meeting and sent back for some slight correction had another inning today. The ordinance has to do with the title of inspector of buildings and is an ordinance amending an ordinance. Under the present ordinance the inspector is known as the "inspector of public buildings," and the amendment simply eliminates the word "public," making the title read "inspector of buildings." The ordinance will be passed to be enrolled at the next meeting.

Loan Order Passed

The $60,000 order for school additions and purchase of land for school purposes was passed with the emergency clause attached. The order in its original form was objected to by the Boston bankers who wanted the words added "to provide for the construction of additions when such additions include the floor space of the building to which additions were made." These few kind words were added and the order passed.

Commissioner Morse was given authority to make requisition upon the purchasing agent for 4000 barrels of Portland cement, more or less, to be delivered in bags with the understanding that it is up to the commissioner to say if it shall be more or less. He was also authorized to purchase through the same channel 50,000 hard burned brick, more or less, and in this instance, too, he will be the fellow to say "more or less."

To Fence Waterways

The danger spots along the canals, as pointed out by the committee on waterways, were referred to and it was the consensus of opinion that the places viewed by the council yesterday, Clark's court and Joiner's court, off Lawrence street, should be fenced in order to prevent the children from falling into the river. The place in Congress avenue, extending out over Hale's brook, where the little girl was drowned last year, has already been fenced. It was finally decided to ask the purchasing agent to get styles and prices of unclimbable wire fences, so that the council, when it decides upon some action, could order the fence at a moment's notice.

To Sell Schoolhouses

Commissioner Donnelly asked the city solicitor if he had looked up all of the titles of the unused schoolhouses that the city proposes to sell. The city solicitor said that all but two had been looked up and that he would have them all ready for final action at the next meeting. The mayor called attention to the fact that a cottage house on the Lyon street school annex, so-called, is occupied by the janitor, who pays a rental to the city of about $120 a year. The mayor questioned the advisability of selling the property in view of the income. No definite action was taken, but all matters pertaining to the sale of the schoolhouses and property will be attended to at the next meeting Tuesday, April 18, at 10 a. m.

City Hall Notes

Mayor O'Donnell received an invitation from the management to attend the opening ball game of the season at Boston, but because of so much business was unable to attend.

It was learned at city hall this forenoon that B. H. Davis, the engineer in charge of the big bridges in Lawrence, has just been selected as supervising engineer for two big bridges in Cumberland, Md.

The mayor stated today that he will call a meeting of the school committee, council and high school advisory board for Monday night.

PREMIUM COUPONS

Manufacturers of Snuff, Tobacco, Etc., Must Put Gifts in All Shipments or None at All

WASHINGTON, April 12.—Manufacturers of snuff, tobacco, cigars and cigarets face leaving out gift-cards and premium coupons altogether or putting them in all shipments, including those to states which have passed laws prohibiting the practice

The treasury department, in an order made public today, holds that unless such cards or coupons are included in all shipments, regardless of destination, the practice comes within the law forbidding lotteries, because consumers in localities where premiums are omitted would not have the same opportunity to obtain valuable prizes as those in more favored localities

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AUTOMOBILE QUESTION BOX

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open the throttle three-quarters of the way it will run fast, and when I open it full it will run slower. Valves were just ground and all overhauled. The butterfly is just straight when fully opened. Will you kindly give me some advice to remedy this trouble? I have tried every possible carburetor adjustment. M. L.

Ans.—It may be necessary to change the specifications of the carburetor. Perhaps when the throttle is fully opened the mixture is impoverished by too much air. A heavier spring may help, or, perhaps, the spray nozzle is too small. If the carburetor is properly suited and adjusted to the motor a good mixture should be obtained at all engine speeds. A little experimenting in this respect should remedy the trouble.

Please give me what information you can about the preparations on the market to put in gasoline to increase mileage? Are they any good or only fakes? What is their composition? The price charged seems rather high. I am afraid they might injure my engine. F. G.

Ans.—While there may be a number of preparations on the market used in gasoline for the purpose of increasing the mileage it is a question whether the additional expense is offset by the increased mileage obtained. It is not possible to advise you as to what elements go to make up such compositions. It is reasonable to assume, however, that if a good grade of gasoline is used satisfactory results will be obtained without adulteration. Would not advise using any foreign liquids in the gasoline for the purpose of obtaining better results unless your are entirely familiar with the nature of the liquid used. It is possible that injury may result to the motor if certain chemicals are employed in the gasoline.

Will you please inform me the kind of gasoline that the racers use? The gasoline I use does not seem to be up to the standard. T. F.

Ans.—In racing cars the best grade of gasoline obtainable is used. The cost is slightly greater, but the results are better. It is more refined, and tests about 76. The gasoline purchased at the average garage tests about 66.

I have a 1913 model Ford car. Probably two years ago it developed a slight knock, which is now so pronounced that it is annoying. The sound is rather sharp, something like a slap or click resulting from striking together two pieces of steel. It is not the thump usually heard when a babbit bearing is loose. I have had all the bearings carefully tested. They are in good shape. It seems that the noise must be caused by contact between the pistons and cylinders. Piston-pin bearings are in good shape. There does not seem to be enough play in pistons to cause a knock. In fact I have tried to replace old pistons with .005 oversize pistons; but they would not go into cylinders. Can you suggest a remedy? Would an extra gasket on top of the cylinders help? The knock is most pronounced when spark is advanced; and is especially noticeable when more gas is turned on. Have new rings on pistons. J. O.

Ans.—If the knock is due to piston slap the installation of over-size pistons would not be advisable without reboring the cylinders. Perhaps one of the cylinders is worn oval in shape. The next time you have occasion to remove pistons it would be advisable to caliper the cylinders in order to determine their true condition. When the cylinders are rebored and new oversize pistons fitted there can be no piston slap.

I own a 1915 Hupmobile and have had battery troubles. Some one suggested that I put in a magneto. Will this give more power to the car? Would like to avoid the expense of a magneto. Do you think that dry cells would overcome the difficulties? J. R.

Ans.—If the storage battery is in good condition and the electrical system properly adjusted you should experience no difficulty with battery ignition. A great majority of modern cars employ the battery systems with excellent results. The magneto is good and very reliable, but it hardly seems necessary to entail the expense of installing a magneto in your case. Perhaps some defect in the wiring system is causing the trouble. Dry cells are not satisfactory for ignition purposes.

Am driving a —— roadster and when not in use keep car jacked up, putting the jack under housing of differential. Please advise if this causes too much strain at this point. H. L.

Ans.—The axle housing should certainly be strong enough to support the weight of this car. This should not be done, however, with cars of the heavier type. It is best to jack up on both sides of the axle.

Kindly advise me of a good way to restore the freshness to a mohair top (1914 make) after the dirt has been brushed out. S. J.

Ans.—The top should be brushed briskly with a stiff brush. When this is done it should be sponged thoroughly with soap and water. Plenty of soap suds and energetic sponging should clean it efficiently. Further than this nothing can be done without destroying the rainproof quality of the cloth.

Have a —— car with four-cylinder engine which runs smooth but makes a clicking noise. Am unable to locate trouble? P. C.

Ans.—The clicking noise may be due to loose valve push rods. Quite often if these are adjusted more closely the noise will be reduced. You may find that the noise is due to the side thrust of the valve push rods. When these become worn a side slap and click develop as the cam hits the roller of the push rod. Lost motion in water pump or starter couplings will cause a click. Perhaps you may find, on close inspection, one of the coupling heads loose on the shaft. These are usually keyed or pinned to shaft but work loose at times.

WARNS LOWELL AUTOISTS

TO SAFEGUARD CARS

Nearly every night, the local police station receives reports from police headquarters of other cities reporting the theft of automobiles. Lowell thus far this season, has been noticeably free from such larcenies, but the same gangs that are working in other municipalities are apt to visit Lowell. Supt. of Police Redmond Welch warns autoists to provide some means of metal chain for locking their cars against theft, and suggests a length of metal chain to be looped about the rim of one wheel and a portion of the frame of the machine and secured by a padlock. The mere presence of such a protecting device is usually sufficient to discourage attempts at larceny. If such an attempt is made, the effort is laborious and attracts attention. Physicians and other professional men apt to leave their machines for long periods of time in the streets need special warning, says the chief.
—From this morning's Courier-Citizen.

THE AUTO OWNERS OF LOWELL

Doubtlessly appreciate the commonsense in this warning of their police superintendent, and his interest in their welfare which prompted its utterance. We have on hand the remedy the chief considers adequate—Chains to Secure Your Tires. They are only 75c and 85c. THE TIME TO GET YOURS IS NOW—TODAY. "Don't lock your stable after the horse is stolen."

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BASEMENT BASEMENT

ACCIDENT WAS FATAL

LOWELL BOY FATALLY INJURED IN BOOTT MILLS—HEARING BEFORE INDUSTRIAL AC. BOARD

The industrial accident board will come to Lowell on April 21 for the purpose of reviewing the case of Aime Dube who died as the result of injuries sustained at the Boott mills on October 18, 1915. This will be the first hearing in Lowell under the full board, Frank J. Donahue, chairman; Dudley M. Holman, David T. Dickinson, Joseph A. Parks and Thomas F. Boyle.

The Dube boy was employed as a bobbin stripper in the Boott mills at the time of the accident. In an endeavor to take wool from a pulley he was caught by a belt and wound about the shafting. He died at 6.30 p. m., on the day of the accident.

The case was first heard in this city on December 13. The committee on arbitration at that time consisted of Frank J. Donahue, chairman; William J. Carroll, for the boy's mother, Mrs. Virginia Dube, and Arthur Santry for the insurer, the American Mutual Liability Insurance company. The committee found that the petitioner had not right to compensation inasmuch as her son, the victim of the accident, was injured while doing work that he was not employed or engaged to do.

There were several hearings in Boston after the hearing in Lowell and Lawyer Arthur L. Eno, counsel for Mrs. Dube, finally succeeded in persuading the full board to reopen the case and the hearing will be held in the aldermanic chamber at city hall, April 21, at 10.30 a. m.

"A TRIED REPUBLICAN"

HARTFORD, Conn., April 12.—The republicans in state convention here today chose 14 delegates to the national convention at Chicago, two from each of the five congressional districts and four at large. The latter are: J. Henry Roraback, Canaan; Charles Hopkins Clark, Hartford; John T. King, Bridgeport, and Francis C. Maxwell, Vernon.

The resolutions adopted condemned the administration's Mexican policy as "vacillating," urged the need of "an army and navy adequate to repel any attempt at invasion," and the nomination at Chicago for president of "a tried republican" whose record and character would give the nation a guarantee of wise statesmanship in the management of foreign and domestic affairs.

The resolutions also request the national convention to declare for a world's conference after the European war in behalf of an international tribunal to end war. This paragraph was written by former President William Howard Taft and conforms to the declaration of the League to Enforce Peace of which he is president.

SUN BREVITIES

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Expert vulcanizing. Beharrell's.

Jos. M. Dineen, cameras, photo supplies. With R. E. Joslin, 111 Merr'k st.

Jackson Palmer, the well known lawyer, is confined to his home in Sixth street with an attack of the grip.

Engine 2 responded to a telephone alarm late yesterday afternoon for a grass fire in a vacant field of Parker street.

A chimney fire in a two-story frame tenement block in Howe avenue occupied by the Nesmith estate caused an alarm from box 8, corner Howe and East Merrimack streets, at 9.10 o'clock last evening. There was considerable smoke but little damage.

A handsome shepherd dog has been quarantined at the police department stable in Market street, where it will remain for a week or ten days in order to ascertain if it is suffering from the rabies. It is alleged that the dog bit a person Saturday and yesterday the canine was taken to the stable where it will be kept under observation.

It is reported that Mrs. Marie Sundelius, wife of Dr. Gustave Sundelius of Commonwealth avenue, Boston, and a favorite among Lowell lovers of music, will soon become a member of the Metropolitan Opera Co. The talented singer, who has been heard in this city on several occasions, will be the soloist at the May concert of the Lowell Choral society.

"Child Training and Man Making" was the subject of Edward W. Dickinson of Billerica, who addressed the members of the Educational club yesterday afternoon. There was a large attendance. It was announced that at the next meeting Mrs. Burke will speak on the works of the poet Bryant. A musical entertainment will be furnished.

A valuable bulldog owned by J. F. Cahill of Harrison street was run over and killed by a furniture truck near the corner of Andover and Harrison streets late yesterday afternoon. The dog lay unconscious on the street after the accident and Officer Gilmore of the humane society was notified but when he arrived the dog was dead. Witnesses say that the accident could not have been avoided by the driver.

In the case of Mrs. Helen Walsh of this city vs. the Columbia Fuel Co., a verdict for the defendant was given yesterday at the Suffolk county court. Mrs. Walsh claimed that she had entered into an agreement with the fuel company to sell soft coal in Lowell for $5 a ton. Later the company raised the price to $8 a ton, and the plaintiff sued for $250, representing the difference in price on the tons sold. Bennett Silverblatt appeared for the plaintiff and Edward J. Tierney for the company.

The Women of the Pawtucket Congregational church entertained members of the Lowell General Hospital Aid association at the Spalding house yesterday afternoon. There were 74 members present. There were readings by Miss Marian McCord and Mr. Henry H. Harris spoke on his recent trip to the Panama-Pacific exposition. A gift of $25 was received from the Ladies Aid society of the High Street Congregational church, and another gift of six dozen wash cloths was received from a member of the association. One hundred and sixty-eight articles were sent to the hospital during last month.

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TODAY AND TOMORROW
The Last Release of
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With PEARL WHITE
Others Including a 4-Act Lubin Feature
"SAVED FROM THE HAREM"
PRICES 5c, 10c

"GRAFT"
At the JEWEL
TODAY and TOMORROW

HOW PHINNEY BOYLE LOST

PROVIDENCE PAPER DESCRIBES KNOCKOUT OF LOWELL BOXER BY FLEMING

J. D. McGlone in the Providence Tribune has the following relative to the fight between Phinney Boyle of this city and Frankie Fleming, the Canadian champ at Woonsocket, R. I., Monday night:

Phinney Boyle, New England's candidate for featherweight honors, lasted less than nine rounds with Frankie Fleming, the Canadian champion, at Woonsocket last night. Boyle, though counted out, was not completely finished and took the long count in a half-sitting position, his head clear enough to realize more than his loud-mouthed seconds that he was hopelessly outclassed and that another one of Fleming's terrific body punches would surely do for him.

Boyle came in two pounds over the agreed weight and this added poundage made him very confident at the start. For four rounds he boxed rings around Fleming. He danced lightly in, feinting and shooting in smart, stinging hooks and piled up such a lead that the long end boys were wondering when the Canadian would cut out his stalling and get down to real work.

Fleming is noted as a slow starter, and it was well into the fourth before he did anything to merit the confidence of his backers to take hold of the situation. Before this he was content to let Boyle do the leading, while he covered his face with both gloves, feeling the power of the other's punches and awaiting for a right counter, supposed to be his best stock in trade.

The fourth had gone a minute or so when Fleming, who was boring all the while, forced Boyle into his own corner and there he dazed the Lowell lad with two heavy rights to face. Boyle backed away from the ropes, pursued by the persistent and dogged Fleming, and by leading and scoring with light left taps held his own till the end of the round.

Boyle was desperate when he came out for the ninth. His lips were split and bleeding, though he seemed strong as ever and he met the determined Fleming with a show of boxing he displayed in the opening sessions. Fleming, however, was not to be denied and bored in trying to get Phinney near the ropes. When he accomplished this end he flailed him with both hands. Boyle, with a mild show of resistance, swung a wide right that split Fleming's left eye. The Canadian was a bit dazed by the blow, but he came back and let out with all he had and beat Boyle to the floor with three wicked rights to the body, followed by a sharp inside left hook to the chin. Boyle settled easily on the mat, resting on one shoulder, where ten was tolled off by Referee Fitzgerald. The clip on the chin was the last blow but the body punches had done the real work.

Fleming showed himself to be a cool, clever ring general. He carried out a well laid plan of action—that of letting Boyle tire himself out—with a grim determination that must have impressed Boyle as it impressed the big crowd of fans.

Emily Stevens, a motion picture actress, appeared in the Church of the Most Holy Redeemer in New York, where play and player was the text of her sermon.

ACMES BEAT SUBURBANS

TOOK ALL FOUR POINTS IN THE MATCH LAST NIGHT—OTHER CONTESTS

The second game of a series to be played between the Acmes of the Crescent Minor league and Suburbans of the Kittredge Minor league was rolled on Kittredge's alleys last night and the Acmes won all four points with comparative ease, winning the first string by 24 pins, the second by 43, the third by 61 and total pinfall by 128. White of the Suburbans was high man with a total of 315 and Coleman of the Acmes had a triple of 313.

In the Market league the Turner Centre Creamery five dropped all four points to Dean's market.

The Clippers won three points from the Beacons in the Bridge Street league, the Beacons nosing out ahead in the third string for one point.

The scores:

Acmes

	1	2	3	T'ls
Coleman	82	129	102	313
Pope	95	91	102	288
Murphy	77	96	102	275
Hosmer	88	98	95	281
Denham	96	83	117	296
Totals	438	497	518	1453

Suburbans

Doyle	76	73	90	239
Nickerson	87	83	77	247
Cameron	88	94	89	268
Chandler	75	100	81	256
White	88	107	120	315
Totals	414	454	457	1325

MARKET LEAGUE

Turner Centre Creamery

Shrigley	88	69	74	231
Hutchinson	77	85	80	242
Nixon	89	105	75	269
Spence	74	101	86	261
Maxwell	82	96	82	260
Totals	410	456	397	1263

Dean's Market

Potter	79	106	82	267
McDougall	85	78	75	238
J. Dean	81	106	129	316
S. Dean	99	100	90	289
Laycock	87	83	86	256
Totals	431	473	462	1366

BRIDGE STREET LEAGUE

Beacons

Tierney	84	93	92	269
O'Connor	89	101	82	272
Sub	83	81	80	244
Reardon	81	78	92	251
Lemke	104	101	103	308
Totals	441	454	449	1344

Clippers

Shea	106	101	85	292
Larkin	83	92	83	258
Hart	88	100	80	268
McKenzie	89	81	97	267
Murray	107	94	87	288
Totals	473	468	432	1373

GAMES TOMORROW

American League

Philadelphia at Boston.
Detroit at Chicago.
Washington at New York.
St. Louis at Cleveland.

National League

Boston at Brooklyn.
New York at Philadelphia.
Pittsburgh at St. Louis.
Chicago at Cincinnati.

THE MYSTERY SOLVED

"MASKED MARVEL" NO MATCH FOR CHESTER MARTEL AT BOWLING

Chester Martel, of this city, defeated William Robbins, of Derry, N. H., by 150 pins in the 20-string match, the first half of which was played last Tuesday night and wound up last night on the Crescent alleys. Robbins was the "masked marvel" whose identity was not known to the bowling fans until the game was well under way last night. When the match was made it was with the understanding that Martel's opponent wear a mask which was not to be removed unless he was defeated by the Lowell man. The game had not progressed very far last night, however, before Robbins saw that there was not the slightest chance for him to win and he abandoned the face covering.

Although but a "yearling" the New Hampshire man plays a very steady game but he lacks the experience peculiar to the topnotchers of today.

At the end of the first ten strings played Tuesday night Martel won by a margin of 87 pins so that when he started in to play last night he had a big advantage. Martel seemed to take matters apparently easy and won the last ten strings by a margin of 53 pins, making the total 150 pins.

It was evident that Martel was not letting himself out during the entire match for in the second string he registered but 82 and 84 was the sum total of the boxes in the fourth string and then again in the seventh his tally was but 87. In the ninth string Martel scored 118 and made a Garrison finish in the tenth by slamming the pins for 126.

Robbins' low string was 82 in the fourth, while the highest he could put up was 107, which he did in the sixth and tenth frames.

The score:

Martel	106	82	96	84	103
	114	87	94	118	126—1010
Robbins	94	102	93	82	92
	107	88	100	82	107—947

SOUTH END BALL TEAM

The first practice trials for candidates who intend to try out for Harry Pitts' South End baseball team will be held on the South common next Saturday afternoon. Manager Walter Lyons has issued a call for all candidates to report on the common promptly at 2 o'clock.

Mr. Pitts has made arrangements for uniforms for the team and they are expected to arrive by Friday afternoon. The suits will be patterned after those worn by the New York Nationals.

Manager Lyons is of the opinion that he will produce one of the strongest amateur teams in this section of the country this year. He has a wealth of material to select from, and indications point to the coming season being the most successful of his career at the managerial helm. Manager Lyons intends to open the season on April 19 with the fast Centipede team of Lawrence as the opposing force. On April 22 the team will display its strength against Harry Lord's Lowell outfit.

Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, head of the National Association of American Woman Suffrage, was once a newspaper woman, having received her training in San Francisco.

FAST BASKETBALL

Lowell Five Won From Crescents by Score of 25 to 22

Followers of sporting events in this city who attended the basketball game at the Crescent rink last night were tendered a rare treat, for the game developed play of a calibre not often witnessed around these parts. There were many spectacular shots by players on both teams, and during the second and third periods many thrilling situations cropped out and fans were kept on edge until the whistle announced the cessation of play. The Lowell Five quintet won the game by the score of 25 to 22.

"Hunk" Haggerty, the "Jess Willard" of basketball, who was scheduled to appear in the Crescent lineup, failed to materialize and his place was taken by George Renkert, one of the best defensive men in this section of the country. The non-appearance of Haggerty created some talk, but after the game got under way the ponderous one was soon forgotten, as there wasn't any time to worry over the absence of the player, so fast did the teams perform.

As in the preceding games in the city championship series, sentiment was with the Lowell Five, and a large majority of those in attendance rooted hard for Lew's aggregation to win. This can probably be attributed to the fact that two Lowell men were in the Lowell Five lineup, with Lew the star of the first part of the game.

The Lowell Five started the fireworks in the first session by annexing a series of baskets in quick succession. Crockett started the damage and Lew followed with two pretty shots. Then "Red" Kenney made enthusiasm among the Lowell Five following run exceptionally high by one of the most sensational shots seen at the Crescent rink this season. The former Milford star threw the ball from one end of the cage to the other, the ball going through the netting without even touching the iron rim. Allison added two additional points to the Lowell Five total before the period ended, with the Crescents on the short end of a 15-3 score.

The Hurd street contingent came back strong in the second period, and nearly evened up matters, the score at the end of the session going to the Lowell Five with only a five point lead. "Win" Snow caged the ball twice in this frame, and Doherty and Costello got one apiece.

In the third period the Crescent players worked at top speed but were unable to overcome the lead of the opposing team. Costello ran wild in this period and caged the ball three times, while Doherty annexed another basket. Lew was the only Lowell Five man to score. Several fouls, however, were charged up against the Crescents, and this fact cost them the game.

Snow and Costello were the most consistent performers for the Crescents, and Lew and Kenney performed creditably for the Lowell Five. Snow was pitted against Jim Mulvanity, the big Nashua police inspector, and he ran the New Hampshire copper off his feet before the game ended. Mulvanity introduced several holds on Snow that have never been attempted in this city before, but Snow always managed to get away from him. Lew gave a great comeback exhibition, and is entitled to a great deal of credit for his work. He was in the game at all times and proved a strong asset to his team.

The lineup, score and summary:

Lowell Five		Crescents
Lew	lf	rb Doherty
Allison	rf	lb Renkert
Mulvanity	c	c Snow
Crockett	lb	rf Murphy
Kenney	rb	lf Costello

Lowell Five 25, Crescents 22. Goals by Crockett 2, Lew 3, Kenney 4, Allison, Snow 3, Doherty 2, Renkert. Referee: William Wilson. Timers: Bob Hart and Paul Clark. Time—Three periods of 15 minutes.

MACK AND BUTLER DRAW

FAST 12-ROUND BOUT AT BOSTON —CHICK WEST BEAT CHARLEY BYERS IN SEMI-FINAL

BOSTON, April 12.—The program of bouts that the Armory A. A. staged at the Hippodrome last night was a good climax to the closing show of the club at that place, and the boxing witnessed by the large crowd of fans was about the best that has been seen there. The club goes back to the Arena next Tuesday night.

The feature bout last night was between those rivals, Frankie Mack of Beachmont and Walter Butler of Revere. They met at catchweights. It was their third meeting and it was the best bout of the trio. Though they boxed fast and hard in the 12 rounds, still referee Maffitt Flaherty could not see that either one had any better of the milling and he declared the bout a draw. It was a good decision.

First one and then the other looked as if he were going to be the winner. Then good rallies would even up the score again. Mack did not do so much slapping with the open glove as he formerly did, and Butler did not display as good headwork as he showed in their last bout. Both did a lot of body punching, especially when at close quarters. They also did some good countering with both hands, but there was no knock down during the contest.

Butler was the aggressor most of the time and he stabbed and hooked Mack many times with the left on the jaw and face. He also hooked the right and left onto Mack's stomach. The latter caught Butler's head back with stiff left jabs. They had many hot exchanges, landing most of their punches on the body. The decision met with the approval of most of the fans.

John McInnis, the ex-amateur welterweight of Lynn, probably wishes he had stayed in the ranks of the pares after the lacing he got last night from Morris of Montreal in one of the preliminaries. Morris substituted for Young Levinsky of Lowell. Morris gave McInnis such a hiding that in the sixth round the referee stopped the bout and gave Morris the decision.

In the opening bout Red Kelly of Charlestown and Tony Lorenzo of Boston boxed six fast and hard rounds and Kelly got the award.

Chick West substituted for Al Nelson and met Charley Byers in the semi-final bout, which was another exciting contest. West was given the decision at the end of eight rounds.

Matt Wells of England and Eddie Murphy of South Boston will meet in the feature bout at the Arena next Tuesday night. Joe Connelly, the Charlestown ex-amateur, and Tommy McFarland will box in the semi-final.

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BILLERICA MATHEWS WIN

DEFEATED LOWELL SOCIETY IN A TOURNAMENT AT LOCAL ROOMS LAST EVENING

The members of the Fr. Mathew Temperance society of Billerica were entertained by the members of the Mathew Temperance Institute of Lowell in the rooms of the local branch in Central street last evening. A very lively tournament of games was played and after the results were tallied it was seen that the "boys from the country" were the winners by a single point. All games were closely contested and the outcome showed that both societies were very evenly matched.

While this custom of joint gatherings was carried out up to 15 years ago, none has been held since that time, but the great success of last evening's tournament will, no doubt, result in bringing the two branches together frequently. In fact, after the manner in which the visitors were royally entertained last night, the Billerica officers extended an invitation to the Lowell society to visit their rooms in the near future. Needless to say, the invitation was immediately accepted.

The Billerica society arrived at the Lowell quarters at 7.30 o'clock, and games were immediately started. The card games were in charge of Patrick Kane, and he was assisted by Patrick Nestor. The expeditious manner in which this part of the program was carried out reflects credit on their ability as supervisors.

Those who participated in the card games were John Spillane, Fred Brown, Welch, Mahoney, James E. O'Neil, Henry J. McLaughlin, John Lyons, H. Sullivan, John O'Brien, J. Condon, Hugh Donnelly, Frank Sullivan, William Sullivan, Thomas Durkin, H. Conway, O. Flynn, Arthur Flaherty, John E. O'Neil, James P. Owens John Donnelly, E. Gannon, J. Duffy, William Quinn, J. P. McLaughlin, Frank Dwyer, Daniel McSweeney, John E. Boyle, John Dwyer, Edward Riley, John F. Gannon, Edward Collins, Albert Lutender James McKeon, F. McGuire, John Maxwell, Daniel Collins John Townsend, Edward T. Draper, William F. Boyle, P. Frank Reilly, Martin Coffey, Michael Coffey, Thomas Higgins, Louis J. Mahoney, Warren Kane, Frank Dwyer, Jeremiah Mullane, John Nestor, Joseph Mahan, James Barton, Joseph Sullivan, William Morris, George Buckley, John Hickey, Vincent McCann, Daniel McSweeney, John D. Barrett and John C. Sargent.

The bowling contest was very interesting and exciting, with the Lowell boys taking three points. The scores:

M. T. I. OF LOWELL

Ryan	80	84	86	250
Patrick	82	91	89	262
Finnegan	88	110	92	290
Sheehan	96	104	98	298
Bowers	100	83	87	270
Totals	446	472	454	1372

M.T.I. OF NO. BILLERICA

Condon	82	82	81	245
Reardon	80	90	83	253
McGrath	95	109	78	282
Trainor	94	83	86	263
Delehanty	98	92	113	301
Totals	449	457	441	1347

The pool contest went to Lowell. Moynihan and Collins played for Billerica and Welch and Tighe for Lowell.

After the pool game the tournament was declared closed and the result showed that Billerica won by the score of 10 to 9. The points were scored as follows: Billerica—Whist, seven points; cribbage, one point; pitch, one point, and bowling, one point. Lowell had one point in cribbage, four in whist, one in pool and three in bowling.

Refreshments were then served, after which cigars were passed around. President Carey of the Lowell Institute and President John O'Brien of Billerica spoke. Both expressed the great pleasure resulting from frequent joint gatherings, and hoped that the close relations would continue. President Carey then called upon members of both societies to entertain, and for the remainder of the evening a most enjoyable musical program was carried out. Among those who contributed were: J. Warren Kane, John Townsend, Edward Riley, John Spillane, William Sullivan, Edward Barton, Louis Mahoney and Joseph Mahan. John Broderick and John McGlinchey rendered piano selections and the gathering dispersed to the strains of the "Old Oaken Bucket."

Great credit is due to the committee in charge comprised of the following: John J. Sullivan, chairman; Frank Sullivan, secretary; Arthur Flaherty, Thos. J. Durkin, Daniel Sullivan, Joseph Finnegan, Fred Brown, John P. Sheehan, Hugh Donnelly, Edward Draper, John J. Townsend, John O'Brien and Patrick Kane.

The Billerica society committee was comprised of President O'Brien, Carroll Delehanty and Thomas Riley.

LOWELL BOWLERS RETURN

Messrs. Thomas Kelly, Oscar Johnson, Peter Lehrun, Con Concannon and Walter Jewett, members of the Crescent bowling team and two or three other Lowell men arrived from Washington yesterday after spending several days in the Capital city. The Lowell team participated in various events conducted in the Atlantic Coast association tournament and some of the scores made may bring prize money. Mr. Kelly made the best showing of the local bowlers.

LOWELL MEN IN BOSTON

President Roach, Secretary Kennedy and Manager Lord of the Lowell baseball team went to Boston this morning for the purpose of purchasing two sets of new uniforms for the members of the team, white for home games and blue-gray for traveling. Other necessary equipment will also be purchased. President Roach being determined that his team will start out well equipped when the season opens.

Harry Lord who went to Haverhill to see his father last night, will meet Messrs. Roach and Kennedy in Boston at noon.

In the event of the Red Sox and Athletics being able to open the season in Boston this afternoon the three Lowell men will be guests of the Boston management.

Lehman on His Way

Zeke Lehman has received his transportation expenses and will start from Galveston, Tex., for Lowell today. Lehman has a longer distance to travel to this city than any other member of the team. Some of the players will not leave their homes until the latter part of the week, but every one who has been notified is expected to report for practice next Monday morning.

MARTEL TO MEET NUTE

The match between Martel and Nute for the New England championship to be played tomorrow evening at 8.15 on the Jewel alleys, is engaging the attention of the local lovers of the sport and has aroused much interest among them. This match ought to be one of the most interesting ever rolled off in this city. Martel is the champion of New England while Harold Nute of Manchester is the local champion. Ten strings will be bowled off and the winner of this event gets the prize of $200. The contest will start at 8.15 tomorrow evening.

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BASEBALL SEASON OPENS

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ership of the clubs which have taken place since the close of the season of 1915. In the interim the federal league abdicated to organized baseball and there followed a general distribution of the independent league players among major and minor circuits of organized baseball.

Following this reconstruction period, new interests bought into the big leagues in Chicago, Cleveland, St. Louis, Boston and other points and strenuous efforts were made to strengthen the teams of a majority of the sixteen clubs forming the two major circuits.

In some cases the teams were virtually made over, with the result that indications point to well balanced and hard fought competition for the leading places in both the American and the National league. A number of the former big league stars who had cast their lot with the Federals will again be seen on major league diamonds, in addition to several players who won general recognition among the numerous minor league circuits. In the American league Lee Magee, "Germany" Schaefer, Cullop and Gedeon will wear New York uniforms while Deal, Crandall, Hartley, Chapman, Plank, Groom and Borton will play for St. Louis.

Stars From Fed League

The consolidation of the Chicago National and Federal league clubs gave the Cubs a number of former Federals as was the case in St. Louis where the American and Federal league organizations doubled up. Under Manager Joe Tinker, Yerkes, Hendrix, Zwilling, Seaton, Zelder, Flack, Brown and others will wear Chicago National uniforms. The New York Giants will show Benny Kauff, Rousch, Rariden and Anderson on their roster.

Hal Chase, a former American league star, will play first base for Cincinnati. Other Federal leaguers who have been signed again by major league clubs are as follows:

Boston—Allen, Knetzer, Konetchy and Reulbach.

Brooklyn—Johnston, Mowrey and Hickman.

Cincinnati—Moseley, Esmond, Schulz, Louden and Huhn.

Philadelphia—Bender.

Pittsburgh—"Art" Wilson, Smith and Moran.

Baker and Speaker Shift

In addition, two famous stars will be seen in new uniforms. Frank Baker, former star of the Athletics, will play third base and try to bat out home runs for the New York Americans while Tris Speaker, long a member of the Boston Red Sox, will play in the Cleveland outfield and add materially to the batting strength of the latter team.

SPEAKER SIGNS

Former Red Sox Fielder Plays With Cleveland This Afternoon

CLEVELAND, Ohio, April 12.—Tristam Speaker signed his contract with the Cleveland American league club at noon today and will appear in the lineup this afternoon in the opening game.

The contract is for two years. The only announcement made by the officials of the Cleveland club was this:

"Speaker has signed his contract. He signed it as he wanted it."

It could not be learned whether Speaker obtained the $5000 he sought last night as a bonus. His demands at that time were said to be $12,000 a year and $5000 of the price paid to Boston for his purchase. It is believed, however, that Speaker will get close to $30,000 for his two years' work. Whether the Cleveland club will pay it all or whether a part of it will come from Boston is not known.

As soon as Speaker signed he left the club offices at the ball park and hustled down town to be fitted out with a uniform and later went to the park for his first practice with his teammates. He will play centerfield against St. Louis this afternoon and bat fourth.

POEHLER DEFEATS RUSSELL

In 10 string matches at Lewiston last night, Paul Poehler, of Revere, Mass., defeated Emery E. Russell of Lewiston, 1050 to 1042, and Mrs. Lucy Conant of Westbrook, defeated Miss Essie Bean of Portland, 909 to 863. Poehler overcame a seven pin lead in the final string.

TRIANGLE CLUB BOUTS OFF

Announcement was made today by officials connected with the Triangle Athletic club that no more boxing entertainments will be conducted by the club until further notice. The club was to have conducted an entertainment tomorrow night but the affair has been called off.

Young Ketchell, who was to be one of the principals in the main attraction at the club tomorrow night, arrived in Lowell this morning accompanied by his manager, Bill James. Ketchell is a cousin of the late Stanley Ketchell and is said to be one of the most promising boys of his weight in the country.

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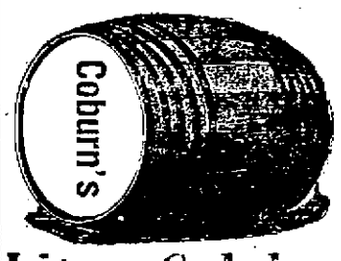

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LEAGUE SCHEDULE OUT

Lowell Opens Season at Bridgeport and Lynn Closes Season Here—Other Baseball News

The publication of the Eastern league schedule for the season of 1916 is out and already the fans are picking it to pieces showing where it might have been improved, explaining why it would have been better if certain jumps were not made, etc., but this year almost any person with ability to arrange a schedule was given an opportunity to do so with $100 in cash hung up as an incentive, but evidently many who thought that it was a simple matter to make out a schedule changed their mind after starting in on the difficult task.

Although the season opens on April 28 it will be May 10th before Lowell fans will have a chance to see the Lowell boys in action. Lowell opens at Bridgeport on the 28th and also plays there the following day. May 1 and 2 will find the Spindle City aggregation in New Haven and the following two days they will play at Springfield. Then comes two games at New London and on the 8th and 9th they will play at Hartford, which will wind up their southern tour.

The opening game of the season in this city will be when Lowell and Bridgeport meet on May 10th at Spalding park.

In glancing over the new schedule it will be found that Lowell has ten Saturday games at home, the one to be played here on Aug. 5th with New London being a double header. Lowell will be away 11 Saturdays, playing a double header with Worcester in the latter city on June 17.

On May 30th (Memorial day) Lawrence plays here in the morning and Lowell goes to Lawrence in the afternoon. June 17th Lowell plays morning and afternoon at Worcester. On the morning of July 4 Lowell goes to Lawrence and Lawrence will play at Spalding park in the afternoon. On Labor day Worcester plays here in the morning and Lowell goes to Worcester in the afternoon.

The final game of the season will take place on September 16th with Lynn playing in this city.

The following table shows the holiday and Saturday games:

Holiday Games

At Home—
May 30, a. m., Lawrence.
July 4, p. m., Lawrence.
Sept. 4, a. m., Worcester.
Abroad—
May 30, p. m., Lawrence.
June 17, a. m., p. m., Worcester.
July 4, a. m., Lawrence.
Sept. 4, p. m., Worcester.

Saturday Games

At Home—
May 13, New Haven.
May 20, Bridgeport.
May 27, Lynn.
June 10, Lawrence.
July 1, Hartford.
July 15, Springfield.
July 29, Portland.
Aug. 5, New London (two games.)
Aug. 26, Worcester.
Sept. 16, Lynn.
Abroad—
April 29, Bridgeport.
May 6, New London.
June 3, Lawrence.
June 17, Worcester (two games)
June 26, Bridgeport.
July 8, Portland.
July 22, Hartford.
Aug. 12, Lawrence.
Aug. 19, Springfield.
Sept. 2, Lynn.
Sept. 9, Springfield.

Lake Is At Colby College

Fred Lake, former manager of the Boston Red Sox, and one of the best known figures in baseball, reported for duty at Waterville, Maine, this week, as coach of the Colby baseball squad. Lake has served in many capacities, as manager, captain, catcher, and even as supervising umpire in the New England league, but this is his first experience as a professional coach. He has had perhaps, more real experience than any other major league player in developing young players. As scout for several of the big league teams he has brought to light some youngsters who have proved to be prominent stars. In a large degree he is responsible for assailing the wonderful combination that brought the world's championship to the Boston team last fall. His ability will be tested to the utmost, at Colby, in developing a pitcher, for the available material does not look very promising in that line. Fred had charge of the Lowell, New England league, team, for several years and his many friends in this city wish him success in his new field.

According to a Cleveland war correspondent Chick Gandil swings the heaviest bat used in the American league. His sticks weigh around 56 ounces. In the National league Larry Doyle and Jack Meyers are said to use the heaviest bats.

The St. Louis American league club is likely to have Bobby Vaughn back on its hands, since he is reported as refusing to sign a contract with Portland, to which he was transferred. The St. Loius club agreed to pay part of his salary with Portland, though this is against the Coast league rule.

Fred Tenney has taken up his new work as owner-manager of the Newark team in a most serious manner and he is not wasting any time in putting his charges through some stiff workouts.

Now we know why John Evers visited the camp of the Yankees and hobnobbed with Bill Donovan. He was seeking players for his Troy team in the New York State league—and he has landed a couple of them.

A few years ago Benny Kauff and Taylor Farrell were teammates at Huntington, W. Va. Now both are outfielders with the Giants. Farrell, however, is likely to be in the International league before the season opens.

Hugh Bedient, who has signed to play with Roger Bresnahan's Toledo team is in baseball not because he needs the money, but for the love of it. Bedient got $7000 cash down for signing a contract with the Feds, and he put the money into such good investments that it nets him a nice little income, taken in connection with what he got when working for the Red Sox.

The Red Sox, world's champions, started out this afternoon to win another championship when they opened the season in Boston with the Athletics as their opponents. Owner Lannin and Boss Bill Carrigan feel that they have a team this year which is better qualified to land the pennant than last year and although many fans are of the opinion that the trading of Tris Speaker was a mistake Clarence Walker who has been secured from the St. Louis Browns ought to be able to cover the centre garden very well. With such master slab artists as Leonard, Foster, Ruth and Shore the Sox should not worry about that position. Vean Gregg is also a valuable southpaw and then there are Anderson, Mays, Pennock, McCabe, Bader and McHale who can be used as auxiliaries on the firing line.

The Yankees are confident this season, their hopes being boosted by the valuable acquisitions from the defunct Federal league and the signing of "Home Run" Baker.

Connie Mack has hopes that he may be able to do great stunts with his team this year, but fans seem to be of the opinion that this once wonderful team has been shot to pieces as a result of the trading of their star players. Mack is in reality starting in this year to build a practically new team, and the Athletics are not considered to be dangerous contenders for the pennant this year.

The principal problem that Hughey Jennings has to contend with this year is in his pitching staff. He had trouble with the pitchers last year, but nevertheless it was this team that made the Red Sox travel in order to win the penant. In fact the club is practically the same as it was last year.

The Braves opened the season with the Dodgers at Brooklyn this afternoon. The Boston aggregation is well fortified in the pitching staff and outfield and with such men as Evers, Maranville and Red Smith in good form and Konetchy at first base there is little cause to worry about the work of the infield. George Stallings states that the team this year is better than any team Boston has had since he has had charge, which is saying a great deal.

The Giants are looking very good on paper and McGraw is out for another pennant. Third base, however, is a source of worry to the manager of the Giants.

EASTERN LEAGUE SCHEDULE

April 28—Lowell at Bridgeport; Portland at Hartford; Lawrence at New Haven; Lynn at Springfield; Worcester at New London.

April—Lowell at Bridgeport; Portland at Hartford; Lawrence at New Haven; Worcester at New London; Lynn at Springfield.

May 1-2—Portland at Bridgeport; Worcester at Springfield, Lynn at Hartford; Lowell at New Haven; Lawrence at New Haven.

May 3-4—Lawrence at Bridgeport; Worcester at Hartford; Portland at New Haven; Lynn at New London; Lowell at Springfield.

May 5-6—Worcester at Bridgeport; Lawrence at Hartford; Lynn at New Haven; Lowell at New London; Portland at Springfield.

May 8-9—Lynn at Bridgeport; Lowell at Hartford; Worcester at New Haven; Portland at New London; Lawrence at Springfield.

May 10-11—New Haven at Lawrence; Bridgeport at Lowell; Springfield at Lynn; Hartford at Portland; New London at Worcester.

May 12—New London at Lawrence; New Haven at Lowell; Hartford at Lynn; Bridgeport at Portland; Springfield at Worcester.

May 13—Worcester at Springfield; New London at Lawrence; New Haven at Lowell; Hartford at Lynn; Bridgeport at Portland.

May 15-16—Bridgeport at Lawrence; Springfield at Lowell; New London at Lynn; New Haven at Portland; Hartford at Worcester.

May 17-18—Springfield at Lawrence; Hartford at Lowell; New Haven at Lynn; New London at Portland; Bridgeport at Worcester.

May 19—Hartford at Lawrence; New London at Lowell; Bridgeport at Lynn; Springfield at Portland; Worcester at New Haven.

May 20—Worcester at New Haven; Hartford at Lawrence; Bridgeport at Lowell; New London at Lynn; Springfield at Portland.

May 22—New London at Bridgeport; Hartford at New Haven; Portland at Lawrence; Lowell at Lynn, Springfield at Worcester.

May 23—New London at Bridgeport; New Haven at Hartford; Portland at Lawrence; Lynn at Lowell; Springfield at Worcester.

May 24—Springfield at Bridgeport; Hartford at New London; Portland at Lowell; Lynn at Lawrence; New Haven at Worcester.

May 25—Springfield at Bridgeport; Hartford at New London; Portland at Lowell; Lawrence at Lynn; New Haven at Worcester.

May 26—Worcester at Hartford; New Haven at New London; Bridgeport at Springfield; Lowell at Lynn; Lawrence at Portland.

May 27—Worcester at Hartford; Bridgeport at New Haven; Springfield at New London; Lynn at Lowell; Lawrence at Portland.

May 29—Hartford at Bridgeport; Springfield at New Haven; Lowell at Lawrence; New London at Portland; Lynn at Worcester.

May 30 (a. m.)—Springfield at Hartford; New Haven at Bridgeport; Lawrence at Lowell; New London at Portland; Lynn at Worcester.

May 30 (p. m.)—Bridgeport at New Haven; Hartford at Springfield; Lowell at Lawrence; Worcester at Lynn; New London at Portland.

May 31—Springfield at Hartford; Bridgeport at New Haven; Worcester at Lawrence; New London at Lowell; Lynn at Portland.

June 1—Bridgeport at Hartford; Springfield at New Haven; Worcester at Lawrence; New London at Lowell; Lynn at Portland.

June 2—New Haven at Hartford; New London at Springfield; Lawrence at Lowell; Portland at Lynn; Bridgeport at Worcester.

June 3—Hartford at New Haven; New London at Springfield; Lowell at Lawrence; Portland at Lynn; Bridgeport at Worcester.

June 5-6—Hartford at Worcester; New Haven at Springfield; Portland at Lowell; New London at Lynn; Lawrence at Worcester.

June 7.—New Haven at Bridgeport; Springfield at New London; Lynn at Lawrence; Lowell at Portland; Hartford at Worcester.

June 8—Bridgeport at New Haven; Worcester at Springfield; Hartford at New London; Lawrence at Lynn; Lowell at Portland.

June 9—New London at Bridgeport; Hartford at New Haven; Lowell at Lawrence; Worcester at Lynn; Springfield at Portland.

June 10—New London at Bridgeport; New Haven at Hartford; Lawrence at Lowell; Springfield at Lynn; Worcester at Portland.

June 12—Hartford at Bridgeport; New London at New Haven; Lawrence at Lowell; Springfield at Lynn; Worcester at Portland.

June 13—Bridgeport at Hartford; New Haven at New London; Lynn at Lawrence; Springfield at Lowell; Worcester at Portland.

June 14—New Haven at Hartford; Bridgeport at New London; Lowell at Lynn; Portland at Worcester; Springfield at Lawrence (2 games.)

June 15—Hartford at New Haven; Bridgeport at New London; Springfield at Lawrence; Lynn at Lowell; Portland at Worcester.

June 16—Bridgeport at New Haven; New London at Hartford; Portland at Lawrence; Springfield at Lynn; Lowell at Worcester.

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July 3—New London at New Haven; Worcester at Springfield; Hartford at Lawrence; Bridgeport at Lowell; Lynn at Portland.

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July 7—Lowell at Portland; Springfield at Bridgeport; Hartford at New Haven; Worcester at Lawrence; New London at Lynn.

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July 10—Worcester at Bridgeport (2 games); New London at New Haven; Hartford at Springfield; Lawrence at Lowell; Portland at Lynn.

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A special ball is being made for Governor McCall to use in starting the big national duck and candle pin congress bowling tournament at the Casino alleys, in Lynn, from April 17th to 29th.

Last year at the Atlantic coast bowling tournament an ornate ball was used by Governor Walsh to open the tournament, and is now among the prized possessions of the ex-governor. The ball used by Governor McCall this year will be of simple design, but will be an ornament for the governor's den after having been used on the alleys.

The bowlers of Lynn and those outsiders who compete on the opening night of the tournament, are planning to give Gov. McCall a big reception. The present governor is enthusiastic in all branches of sport and takes especial interest in bowling.

The prize list for the bowlers to shoot at this year, will be as large as any previous tournament conducted by the national duck and candle pin congress. Although the entry fee at $1 per man is smaller than ever before so as to permit everyone to enter, the entry is so large that the prize list does not suffer. The prizes will be distributed to many instead of a few this year. The first prize will be large enough to attract all the star bowlers among the money hunters, and will be graded down so that many of the teams and individuals will go away from the tournament with money jingling in their pockets.

All the alleys owners throughout New England have been provided with entry blanks and any bowler may obtain them by inquiring at the alley most patronized, or by sending to the secretary, C. A. Barrett, 309 Washington street, Boston, Mass.

The Lowell bowlers who will participate in the tournament are making preparations for the event and it is expected that this city will be well represented.

FOR SWIMMING RACE

HARRY PITTS ASKED TO OFFER CUP FOR FRESH WATER SWIM FROM NASHUA TO LOWELL

Harry Pitts, the well known auto supply man received a communication from Gus Wise, president of the L Street Swimming club of Boston yesterday, in which the latter asks Mr. Pitts if he will offer a suitable trophy for a fresh water swim to be arranged for Lowell this coming summer.

Wise purposes to have a race in the Merrimack river from Nashua, N. H., to the Vesper boathouse some time during July. He states that if Henry F. Sullivan and any other three swimmers residing in Lowell wish to take the matter up he will match Charlie Toth, Meehan and two other Hub natators against them.

Wise, it will be remembered is the gentleman who backed Toth in the race from Nantasket beach to Race Point, Provincetown, last summer, which Henry F. Sullivan of this city won. Ever since that time Wise has been particularly desirous of arranging a match race over a long distance route between Sullivan and Toth.

Following the Race Point swim Toth remained at the swimming game while Sullivan retired. Toth accomplished some very remarkable feats in salt water and made a record for endurance. At the present time Sullivan is recognized as the champion long distance swimmer of America.

Mr. Pitts has the matter of offering a cup for the race under consideration but it is doubtful if Sullivan will consent to race Toth or any other mermen in fresh water, although he holds a record over the course from Nashua to Lowell. The Lowell boy is at his best in salt water and feels confident that he can defeat any swimmer in the world over an open sea course. He is backed up in his assertions by no less a personage than Sam Richards, the former title holder, who says that Sullivan is without a peer in the swimming game in this country.

If Wise is so anxious to match his L Street proteges against Sullivan, it is very probable that Mr. Pitts would consent to back the local boy in a long distance, open sea swim.

The L Street Swimming club, of which Wise is the chief executive, is one of the biggest swimming clubs in the country.

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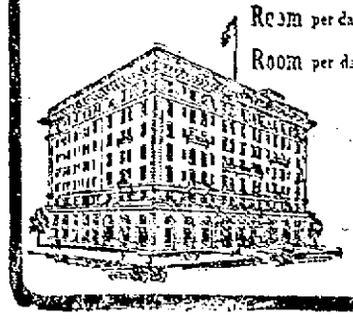

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ANOTHER ATTEMPT TO BREAK FRENCH LINE

Germans Claim Ground Gain in the Caillette Wood—Paris Reports Germans Suffered Heavy Losses—Fighting on Greek Frontier—British Mesopotamia Forces Defeated By Turks

In Caurettes wood, just west of the Meuse river, another attempt to break the French line defending Verdun was made this morning by German troops. The official communication from Paris says the attack was repulsed. East of the river there was no infantry fighting during the night, although the artillery kept up its incessant fire.

The official report of today from Berlin says German troops yesterday gained some ground in Caillette wood, southeast of Fort Douaumont, and that several French attacks broke down with heavy losses.

German Losses Heavy

The official French statement says the German losses in yesterday's fighting were very heavy. Press despatches from Paris give praise to the German soldiers who after nearly two months of the fiercest fighting, keep up the struggle with no visible diminution of courage and ardor. The French, too, sustain the shock of battle with no evidences of fatigue, and the struggle for Verdun goes on with no sign of an ending.

Fighting on Greek Frontier

After a winter of inactivity along the Greek frontier heavy fighting is now under way, although apparently it is still confined principally to artillery actions. An unconfirmed report from Saloniki tells of the capture of a fortified position by the Germanic allies but so far as is indicated no large bodies of infantry have been engaged.

New British Ship Sunk

The destruction of British shipping, which is causing concern in England, continues at a rapid rate. The Senator, a new British 3500 ton steamship, has been sent to the bottom. The crew is believed to have been rescued.

Dutch Ship Torpedoed

Official investigation of the sinking of the Dutch steamships Tubantia and Palembang has resulted in a finding that both were torpedoed. It is said this has been established conclusively and the theory that the Palembang may have struck a mine is rejected.

Spain is awaiting further information before deciding its course in respect to the sinking of the Spanish steamship Santanderino with the loss of four lives. The Santanderino is reported unofficially to have been sunk by a submarine, but Premier Romanones expressed himself as reluctant to believe these reports until a thorough inquiry has been made. Meanwhile, he stated, preliminary instructions have been telegraphed to the Spanish ambassador in Berlin.

Turks Defeat British

The latest effort of the British forces in Mesopotamia to reach the troops besieged at Kut-el-Amara is said by the Turkish war office to have cost the former heavy losses. It is stated that more than 3000 British dead were counted after the battle which, according to a previous official British communication, occurred at Sannayyat, on the Tigris below Kut-el-Amara.

CRIES OF "DOWN WITH GOVERNMENT, LONG LIVE VENIZELOS," AT ATHENS

PARIS, April 12.—During a celebration at Athens yesterday of the anniversary of Greek independence, says a Havas despatch, quoting the Athens Espirini, the police arrested several persons for crying "Down with the government!" "Long live Venizelos!" "Down with Austria!" "Down with Germany!"

RESUMPTION OF VIOLENT CANNONADING ALONG THE GREEK FRONTIER

PARIS, April 12.—Resumption of violent cannonading along the Greek frontier, in the vicinity of Gievgeli and Doiran is reported in a despatch from Saloniki to the Journal. It is said the French artillery had the advantage.

It is also reported that the Germanic allies captured the fortified position at Deve Tepe, but this has not been confirmed.

GERMANS TRY TO REGAIN GROUND TAKEN BY FRENCH IN CAILLETTE WOODS

PARIS, April 12.—While bringing up reinforcements to resume their attack on Le Mort Homme (Dead Man's hill) the Germans are trying to recover the ground regained by the French in Caillette woods and to the north between Douaumont and Vaux.

The French positions there describe an arc from a point south of Douaumonth fort to the centre of the village of Vaux, and the front is a little less than two miles in length.

For three days the only actions on the east bank of the Meuse have been centered there with the habitual preparation in heavily concentrated artillery fire, with a finishing touch in the form of a couple of hours of heavy shelling with suffocating and tear-provoking gas projectiles.

After a bombardment with high explosives lasting eight hours and the use of gas for another hour or two the Germans would attack in two columns simultaneously on two flanks. There was no visible diminution in their courage and ardor; neither did the French show the slightest fatigue, and the consequence is that the unprecedented carnage of the battle of Verdun goes on.

Yesterday the whole front, beaten by gas projectiles, was overhung by a yellowish cloud of chlorine vapor which seemed to be suspended from the sky. When the cloud lifted the Germans bounded forward seemingly indifferent to the thick death-dealing curtain of fire from the French artillery. Some of them got through it, but only to find that the French had abandoned the first line trenches to allow the gas cloud to dissipate.

German reinforcements were sent up to fortify the trenches but before they reached the line the French came back with an irresistible counter attack and in a few minutes drove out the Germans from the few points where they had penetrated the trenches.

VICTORY FOR TURKS OVER BRITISH MESOPOTAMIA FORCE—3000 BRITISH KILLED

BERLIN, April 12, (By wireless to Sayville)—A British Mesopotamia force, composed of troops transferred from the Dardanelles, were repulsed by Turkish troops in a sanguinary battle lasting six hours near Felahie on April 9, according to a Turkish headquarters report dated April 11. The statement adds that more than 3000 dead British were counted after the battle.

The text of the Turkish official statement follows:

"Irak front: The British again in bloodily defeated near Felahie. On April 9 after one hour and a half of heavy artillery preparation, the enemy attacked with all their forces our positions near Felahie. The battle lasted four hours."

GERMAN TROOPS GAIN GROUND IN CAILLETTE WOODS

BERLIN, April 12, via London, 3.38 p. m.—German troops in the operations against Verdun yesterday gained some ground in Caillette woods, southeast of Fort Douaumont, according to the official statement issued today by the German headquarters.

The text of the German official statement says:

"Western theatre: A night sortie by a small German detachment against an English position near La Boiselle, north east of Albert, resulted in 20 prisoners and one machine gun being brought in. There was no loss to us.

"West of the Meuse the French vainly attacked our lines northeast of Avocourt. In other directions they limited their efforts to a very lively artillery fire.

"On the eastern bank of the Meuse three counter attacks on the Poivre ridge, prepared by a very lively fire, caused the enemy severe losses without advantage. On two occasions the storming troops were unable to penetrate the region covered by our curtain of fire. The third assault broke down completely before our entanglements as the result of machine gun fire.

"In Caillette wood, in spite of the stubborn defense, we gained some ground at one or two places.

"In the aerial engagements a French aeroplane was shot down near Ornes in the Woevre. The pilot was killed.

"Eastern theatre: Near Garbunowka, northwest of Dvinsk, Russian night attacks by several companies were repulsed.

"Balkan theatre: There is nothing to report."

GERMAN ASSAULTS ON VERDUN FRONT WEST OF MEUSE RENEWED

PARIS, April 12, 1115 a. m.—The German assault on the Verdun front west of the Meuse was renewed this morning. Troops advanced on Caurettes wood, south of Cumieres, using flame projectors, but were repulsed, the war office announced. East of the Meuse, in the Douaumont-Vaux sector, there was only artillery fighting. The war office says it has been confirmed that the German losses yesterday were very heavy.

The text of the statement follows:

"On the left bank of the River Meuse, the Germans this morning delivered an attack on our positions at the Caurettes wood between Le Mort Homme and Cumieres, in which they made use of flaming liquids. They were everywhere repulsed.

"On the right bank of the river there has been great artillery activity between Douaumont and Vaux, but last night saw no resumption of the infantry fighting at this point.

"It has been confirmed that the very violent offensive action yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock in this sector, which was repulsed by us, cost the enemy heavy losses.

"The night passed with relative quiet on the remainder of the front."

FEATURES OF LAST NIGHT'S EUROPEAN WAR NEWS IN BRIEF FORM

Germans penetrate French line near Douaumont, but are immediately ejected.

French have lost more ground at Dead Man's hill.

British hand grenade assault at St. Eloi repulsed; Germans hold two of the five mine craters.

Russians block German attempt at an offensive at Ikskull near Dvinsk.

Czar's troops make further progress southwest of Erzerum, though Turkish resistance increases.

Tremendous artillery duels on the Italian front.

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MEXICAN SITUATION
Continued

ress of Gen. Pershing's expedition and that every commander has been instructed to make way for the American force.

The state department appears to be perfectly satisfied with these assurances, despite constantly repeated reports that there is danger of a break between this government and Mexico.

The administration appears to believe that Carranza has been justified in his unwillingness to formally bind himself to the proposals presented by this government, because such action, taken by him publicly, would give his opponents an opportunity to raise the anti-Gringo cry throughout the country.

Reports that Villa has been killed have received no credence at the war department. Ranking officers believe that these reports were circulated by Mexicans friendly with Villa for the purpose of throwing Gen. Pershing off his guard.

This afternoon the Mexican embassy announced that it had received such a report, but it originated from unofficial sources and was merely relayed to Carranza's Washington representative without verification.

PABLO LOPEZ, VILLA LIEUTENANT, DEAD

EL PASO, Tex., April 12.—An entire new version of the story of Villa's death was brought here today by a Mexican cattle man, who claimed to have suffered a visitation from a band of Villa followers on his ranch near Bachiniba. This man said that Villa was neither dead nor wounded, but that Pablo Lopez, the bandit's notorious lieutenant and executioner-in-chief, had died and that Villa had deliberately used his death as the basis of the story of his own finish.

The cattleman told the following story:

"I was in Guerrero at the time Villa came there and afterwards when the American soldiers arrived I believed it was safe for me to return to my ranch.

"Last Thursday a band of twenty of Villa's men rode up to the ranch house. They took a little grain that I had and killed one of my cows and had a great feast. They had several bottles of liquor that they had secured at Guerrero and Minica and got pretty drunk before they were through.

"They ridiculed the American soldiers and boasted about the way Villa had fooled the 'gringoes' by sending guides to the American officers with stories of different places in which he was riding. Then they talked about Lopez, and said that he was dying and that as soon as he was dead the gringoes would be told it was Villa and then they would all go home.

"They did not say anything about the whereabouts of the Villa bandits but I understood from their talk that he was far to the south and that they were under orders to meet him somewhere near Parral."

The Mexican who told this story is well known to several Americans here who considered him reliable.

Villa's ride south has been a disastrous one for the villages and the small towns through which he has raided, according to numerous reports received here. His men have looted at will and have been ruthless in their destruction of property. Several reports relate instances of women being assaulted and of Mexicans who were shot because of their supposed friendliness to Americans but none of them has been corroborated.

The most reliable information is to the effect that Villa is in northern Durango, trying to arrange for a concentration for his adherents who have been operating under Canuto Reyes.

CARRANZA FORCES AND BANDITS AGAIN CLASH

TORREON, Mex., April 11, via El Paso Junction, April 12.—Details of a five-hour battle between the Carranza garrison at Pasaje, Durango and an attacking force composed of Contreras and Ceniceros bandits, were brought here today. The outlaws fled in disorder after losing 70 killed, it is reported. The de facto troops lost four dead.

The battle occurred Sunday. First reports were that the attacking force was commanded by Gen. Reyes, but it is believed, however, that he was not implicated. Negotiations have been under way for the surrender of Gen. Reyes under an amnesty grant.

A doctor sent from here to treat men wounded in the battle said the Contreras and Cenceros attackers were subjected to withering fire from the garrison. They fled in disorder. He counted the bodies of seventy of the outlaws. Among the dead were a colonel and a captain.

After the battle, word was received that Juan Lamadrid, a noted bandit, was killed in a dispute over the division of loot by the Contreras bandits.

CHANGE IN LINE OF COMMUNICATION TO PERSHING

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. April 12.—Maj.-Gen. Funston announced today that a change would be made soon that would affect the long line of communications between Columbus, N. M., and General Pershing's advanced forces. He declined to state what the change would be, but it was assumed by army officers that it had been decided either to reinforce the line materially or shift it to a shorter route.

TO INCREASE ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT AT COLUMBUS

COLUMBUS, N. M., April 12.—Preparations to increase the ordnance department at the expeditionary base here are being made today. Ten men are expected from the government arsenal at Rock Island, Ill., to augment the present force, which under the supervision of Lieut. Clarence S. Danielson, has issued pieces to troops in the field since the beginning of the campaign.

Columbus resumed its normal quiet today as a result of repeated assurances by the military authorities that in none of the rumors prevalent in the last few days has there been cause for alarm. Even stories that truck trains had been fired upon by snipers north of Casas Grandes and near Las Cruces, between El Valle and Namiquipa failed to excite more than passing interest. These stories were brought to the border by truckmen, one of whom said that following the sniping at Las Cruces the military guard had discovered a barricade built at the side of the road behind which lay a smoking rifle.

The six wounded Villa prisoners, brought here last night, are being held in the hospital today under heavy guard. Lieut. Col. E. B. Rick, chief surgeon, said that all of the men are recovering rapidly. While nothing was learned from official sources as to their final disposition, it is assumed that they will be taken to Deming to await trial, as were the Mexicans captured at the time of the raid.

H. A. Dargue and E. S. Gorrell, lieutenants of the aero corps, said today they expected to remain here for about a week, pending the arrival of the new planes which have been ordered here for expeditionary purposes.

RIDE OF LIEUT. MYER AT GUERRERO FIGHT DESCRIBED

PERSHING'S CAMP AT THE FRONT IN MEXICO, April 5 (By aeroplane and motor couriers to Columbus, N. M., April 11)—The ride of Lieut. Albert Myer of the Seventh Cavalry, at the Guerrero fight, when Col. George A. Dodd caught the Villa forces for the first time, was described today by an officer from Dodd's column who brought despatches to the headquarters camp. Lieut. Myer is from New York, a grandson of the former chief signal officer of the United States army.

During much of the fight Col. Dodd had a position on one of the hills which form a bowl about the town of Guerrero. A mile and a half from this hill Col. Dodd saw Villa troops numbering possibly one or two hundred, filing stealthily through a ravine. Moving in that direction, but in such a position that they might not see the Villa men, was Major Tomkins' squadron of the Seventh Cavalry. There seemed a chance for the Villa force to take the squadron on the flank, and Col. Dodd ordered Lieut. Myer to carry word to Major Tompkins of the bandits' movement. Myer rode a horse conspicuously marked with white. Between him and Major Tompkins lay a mile of open field, swept by fire of snipers. Lieut. Myer made the distance at a run, jumping ditches, dodging boulders, and leaping fences. The ride thrilled the officers who were watching. The messenger reached the American squadron in time to warn them of the bandits' position.

AMERICAN FORCE NOW FAR BEYOND PARRAL

EL PASO, Tex., April 12.—That the American expeditionary force has penetrated far beyond Parral and is near, if not actually at the Chihuahua border line is indicated in code despatches received here this afternoon by private concerns with interests in the Parral district.

TODAY'S STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK MARKET

Stocks	High	Low	Close
Allis Chalmers	28⅞	28⅝	28⅝
Am Beet Sugar	72½	71⅞	72
Am Can	60½	60	60⅛
Am Car & Fn	67¾	67	67⅞
Am Hides L Com	10¼	9½	10
Am Hide & L pf	53½	51½	52½
Am Locomo	77	76	76¼
Am Smelt & R	101⅝	101¼	101¼
Am Sugar Rfn	110½	110⅛	110½
Anaconda	86⅝	85⅞	86¼
Atchison	103⅛	103	103⅛
Atchison pf	101	101	101
Baldwin Loco	105⅛	104¾	104¾
Balt & Ohio	86⅝	86⅝	86⅝
Balt & Ohio pf	76½	76¼	76¼
Cal Pete	22½	21⅞	22
Cal Pete pf	51½	50	50
Canadian Pa	167⅞	167	167⅛
Cast I Pipe Com	21	21	21
Cast I Pipe pf	51	51	51
Cent Leather	53½	53⅛	53½
Ches & Ohio	61¾	61¾	61¾
Chi & Gt W pf	35⅞	35⅞	35⅞
Chic R I & Pac	18⅝	17½	17⅝
Chile	23	22¾	23
Col Fuel	44¼	44	44¼
Consol Gas	134½	134½	134½
Corn Products	19⅝	19	19⅝
Corn Products pf	92⅝	92	92¼
Crucible Steel	93¼	91½	92⅛
Dis Secur Co	47½	47	47⅞
Erie	36¼	36	36
Erie 1st pf	51½	51⅛	51½
Gen Elec	167½	167½	167½
Goodrich	79⅝	77¾	78⅞
Gt North pf	119⅞	119⅝	119⅝
Gt N Ore ctf	43⅛	42¾	43
Illinois Cen	102	102	102
Int Met Com	17⅛	17⅛	17⅛
Int Mer Marine	21⅛	20	20⅝
Int Mer Marine pf	74	72¾	71¾
Int Paper pf	47½	47	47⅛
Kan City So	25½	25½	25½
Kan City So pf	64	64	64
Kan & Texas	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
Lehigh Valley	76½	76½	76½
Louis & Nash	125½	125½	125½
Maxwell	73¾	71½	73
Maxwell 1st	86½	86¼	86¼
Maxwell 2nd	57½	55½	57
Mex. Petroleum	109½	108½	109¼
Nat Lead	66¾	66¾	66¾
Nat Lead pf	114⅝	114⅝	114⅝
N Y Air Brake	142	141½	141½
N Y Central	102¾	102⅝	102¾
Pennsylvania	57	56⅞	57
People's Gas	103½	103½	103½
Pitts Coal	26½	26½	26½
Pressed Steel	51¾	51¾	51¾
Pullman Co	162	162	162
Ry St Sp Co	38⅝	38⅝	38⅝
Reading	85½	84⅞	84⅞
Rep Iron & S	50¼	50½	50½
Rep I S pf	108⅞	108⅞	108⅞
St Paul	94	94	94
Sloss-Sheffield	54	54	54
So Pacific	98	97¾	97¾
Southern Ry	20¼	20⅛	20¼
Southern Ry pf	59	59	59
Studebaker	141	139¾	140¾
Tenn Copper	52⅛	51¾	51⅞
Third Ave	61¾	61¾	61¾
Union Pacific	132½	132¼	132¼
U S Ind Alcohol	160½	158¾	158⅝
U S Rub	54½	52⅝	54⅛
U S Steel	84⅝	83¾	84⅝
U S Steel pf	117½	117¼	117½
U S Steel 5s	104⅜	104⅜	104⅜
Utah Copper	83	82¼	82½
Westinghouse	64	63½	63¾
Western Un	89¾	89½	89½

IRREGULAR AT OPENING

INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS REFLECTED IN EARLY DEALINGS—CLOSING HEAVY

NEW YORK, April 12.—The delicate status of international affairs was again reflected in today's early dealings on the stock exchange, special stocks declining 1 to 3 points after an irregular opening. Standard shares also were heavy, but recessions in that quarter were less pronounced. There was extensive selling of such favorites as Crucible Steel, the Marines, United Fruit, Industrial Alcohol and metals, especially the zinc shares. U. S. Steel was lower by a point and Bethlehem Steel fell 14 1-2 to 465. Among the rails losses were limited to fractions. The course of the market suggested liquidation from out of town sources.

Supporting orders resulted in rallies of 1 to over 2 points before the end of the first hour and the short interest, which helped to bring about the early set-back, felt impelled to cover contracts because of the seeming scarcity of stocks. On the rebound the market relapsed into its stagnant condition of the previous day, traders holding off pending receipt of more definite advices from Berlin. Interest in the foreign situation was heightened by the continued weakness of French and Russian exchange, the Paris check falling to a new low record. Bonds were steady.

Moderate gains in rubber specialties, hide and leather preferred and Woolworth, whose directors declared an increased dividend, furnished the only diversion of the listless mid-session. Changes elsewhere were insignificant.

Lowest prices were scored in the final hour when large offerings of U. S. Steel and oils depressed the entire list. The closing was heavy.

MONEY MARKET

NEW YORK, April 12.—Mercantile paper, 3@3¼. Sterling: Sixty day bills 4.72⅝; demand 4.76 7-16; cables 4.77. Francs: Demand 6.04; cables 6.03¾. Marks: Demand 72½; cables 72⅝. Kronen: Demand 12⅝; cables 12⅞. Guilders: Demand 42⅛; cables 42⅞. Lires: Demand 6.53; cables 6.52. Rubles: Demand 30¾; cables 31. Bar silver 62¾. Mexican dollars 48½. Government bonds steady; railroad bonds irregular. Time loans irregular, sixty days 2@2½, ninety days 3, six months 3@3¼. Call money easier; high 2, low 1¾, ruling rate 2, last loan 2, closing bid 1¾, offered at 2.

BOSTON MARKET

RAILROADS			
Stocks	High	Low	Close
Bos Elevated	78	78	78
Bos & Maine	43½	43½	43½
N Y & N H	61¾	60¾	61½
American zinc	95⅛	94	94⅞
MINING			
Adventure	4¾	4⅝	4⅝
Algomah	1⅝	1½	1½
Allouez	70½	69	69
Arcadian	8½	8⅛	8⅛
Ariz Com	8⅞	8¾	8¾
Butte & Superior	95	92½	94½
Cal & Ariz	75⅛	74	74¾
Cal & Hecla	555	555	555
Centennial	17½	17	17½
Chino	55¾	54⅝	54⅝
Copper Range	65¼	64⅝	64¾
Daly-West	3¼	3⅛	3⅛
E. Butte	13	12⅞	12⅞
Franklin	10⅝	9½	10⅛
Granby	89½	89	89
Isle Royale	28	28	28
Inspiration	46⅝	46½	46½
Kerr Lake	4¾	4¾	4¾
La Salle	4⅜	4½	4½
Mass	13½	13½	13½
Miami	38¾	38	38¼
Michigan	3¼	3¼	3¼
Mohawk	99¼	98¼	98
Nevada	17½	17⅜	17⅜
Nipissing	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛
North Butte	28½	28½	28½
No. Lake	1¼	1¼	1¼
Old Colony	3¼	3¼	3¼
Old Dominion	71½	71	71½
Osceola	94⅝	94⅝	94⅝
Quincy	95	94	95
Ray Con	24	23¾	23¾
Santa Fe	3	3	3
Shannon	9¾	9¾	9¾
Superior	17	17	17
Saint Mary	71	71	71
Trinity	9	9	9
Shattuck	31⅝	31	31⅝
Utah Cons	14¼	14¼	14¼
Utah Metal	10⅛	10	10⅛
Utah Apex	5	4¾	4¾
Winona	4¾	4¾	4¾
Wolverine	58½	58½	58½
TELEPHONE			
Am Tel & Tel	128¼	128⅛	128⅛
MISCELLANEOUS			
Am Pneumatic	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛
Am Woolen	49¾	48⅞	49¾
Am Woolen pf	98¾	98⅝	98¾
Island Creek Coal	52¼	52	52
Mass Gas	84	84	84
Mass Gas pf	86½	86½	86½
United Fruit	148½	147½	147½
United Sh M	57½	57½	57½
United Sh M pf	29½	29½	29½
Swift & Co	130¼	130¼	130¼
U S Smelting ex-div	77¼	76	76⅞
U S Smelt pf ex-div	52⅝	52½	52½
BONDS			
Am Tel & T 4s	32⅛	32⅛	32⅛

COTTON MARKET

NEW YORK, April 12.—Cotton futures opened steady, May 11.90; July 12.06; October 12.21; December 12.37; January 12.13.

Futures closed barely steady, May 11.83; July 11.97; October 12.12; December 12.28; January 12.34. Spot quiet; middling 12.00.

BOSTON MARKET

BOSTON, April 12.—Weakness in zinc stocks was reflected in local copper shares early today. North Butte fell back to 28¼ and Copper Range was lower at 65. At noon the market was very dull at low prices.

50 KILLED IN BATTLE

REVOLUTIONARIES OF HONG KONG ATTACKED GOVERNMENT SOLDIERS

SHANGHAI, April 12.—Three hundred armed revolutionaries of Hong Kong yesterday attacked 200 government soldiers at the Anglo-Chinese boundary. As 400 men came up to reinforce the latter the revolutionaries scattered. The casualties on both sides amounted to 50 killed and a large number wounded.

The China Mail reports fighting between the regular forces of Lung Chi-Kuang, governor of Kwang-Tung province, in the Shakee district, as a result of which it is estimated that a hundred were killed and many hundreds wounded.

ARRESTED FOR NON-SUPPORT

Accused of neglecting to support his wife in Brockton, Mike Mikolo of that city was arrested in South street this afternoon by Sergt. McCloughrey and Warrant Officer Dwyer. Mikolo was taken to the station and locked up pending the arrival of a Brockton police officer. Mrs. Mikolo traced her husband to Lowell and turned over the warrant to the local police.

THE BOARD OF TRADE

ABOUT 400 TICKETS FOR THE TRANS-CONTINENTAL BANQUET HAVE BEEN SOLD

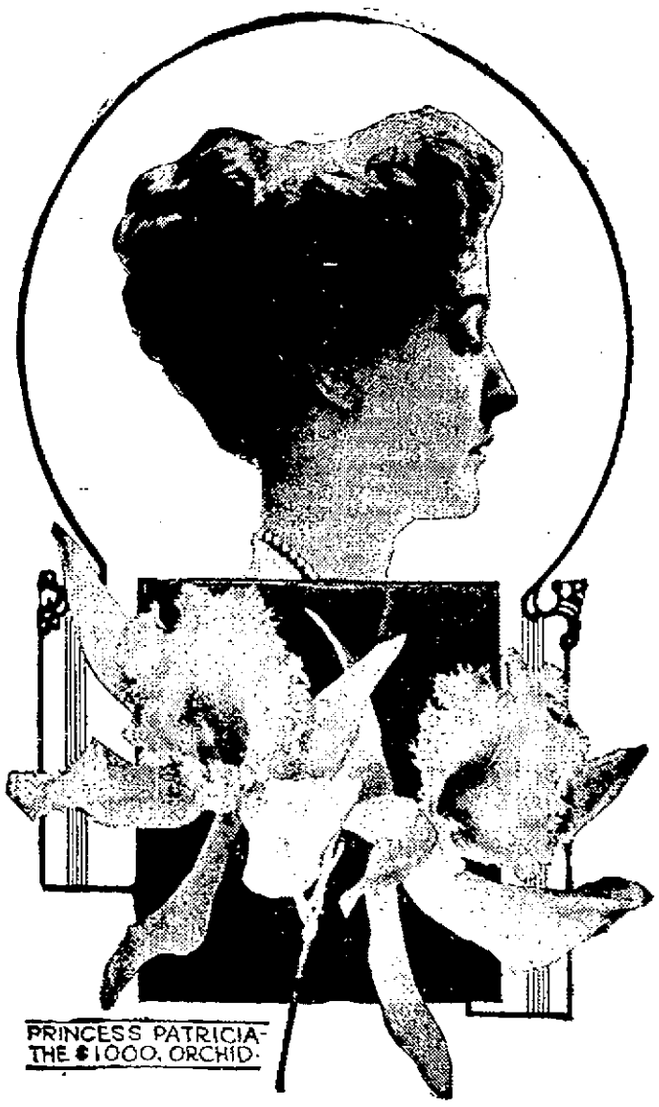
The time limit for the purchase of tickets for the Trans-continental Telephone banquet for the members of the board of trade under the auspices of the organization, which will be held at the Kasino in Thorndike street on the evening of April 26, is 6 o'clock this evening and under no consideration will any ticket be issued after the hour above mentioned.

Secretary Murphy informed The Sun this noon that about 400 tickets had been issued and it was probable that another hundred would be called for in the course of the afternoon. This dinner will be a notable one in the history of the Lowell board of trade for those in attendance will be given an opportunity to hear telephone conversations across the continent. Mayor O'Donnell will hold a brief conversation with the mayor of San Francisco, while President Marden of the Lowell board of trade will send a message of greetings over the wire to the president of the San Francisco chamber of commerce.

A telephone receiver will be placed at each plate and all those present will listen to the trans-continental conversations. Notable speakers will address the gathering and a moving picture show depicting the installation of the trans-continental line will be shown. It is believed that over 500 men will be in attendance.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

PRINCESS PATRICIA OF CONNAUGHT HAS A $1000 ORCHID NAMED FOR HER



The Princess Patricia of Connaught received a decoration at the flower show in New York—a beautiful silver medal. With true royal hauteur she made no sign, merely continuing to look marvelously handsome. The Princess Patricia, be it explained, is an orchid, the most wonderful orchid in the world. When Clement Moore of Hackensack, N. J., who grew the orchid, saw how remarkable it was and unlike anything ever produced before he decided to change its family name of Cattleya to that of the distinguished visitor from Canada, who had announced her intention of visiting the flower show on its last day—April 12th, "Canada day." In the presence of the real "Princess Pat" the princess' floral namesake will be auctioned off to the highest bidder, the proceeds to go to the Canadian Red Cross. Its value is about $1000, but it is expected to bring more for the sake of war sufferers. Princess Patricia is the daughter of the Duke of Connaught, governor general of Canada. She is a first cousin of King George of England.

NEWS OF THE LEGISLATURE

Merrimack River Resolve Passed to Be Engrossed—Lowell Men Urge Textile School Money

Special to The Sun

STATE HOUSE, Boston, April 12.—Although the special redistricting committee has not taken any final action relative to the plan proposed by Representative Bowser of Wakefield for rearranging the lines of the seventh Middlesex senatorial district, it was made evident at a meeting of the committee yesterday afternoon that there is little likelihood of its being adopted.

Representative Lewis of Lowell, who is a member of the special committee, is said to be working hard for the plan, because it would put wards 7 and 9 in Lowell, both of which at present are in representative districts represented by democrats, into a senatorial district which would be rock-ribbed republican. Rep. Victor F. Jewett is also putting in a lot of quiet work in favor of the Bowser plan, but notwithstanding their efforts the committee is not likely to adopt it.

Boston & Maine

Representative Jewett was forced to take another defeat in the house yesterday afternoon, the lower branch of the legislature giving a final reading to the bill repealing the act of last year providing for a reorganization of the Boston & Maine railroad system. The vote on passing the bill to be engrossed was 130 to 59. It will now have to go back to the senate, and its fate there will be watched with much interest, particularly in view of the fact that the minority stockholders' association gave a dinner last night at a Boston hotel to which all of the members of the senate were invited.

In yesterday's vote the members from Lowell and vicinity were recorded as follows:

For the repeal bill: Representatives Lewis, Murphy and O'Connell of Lowell and Bunting of Methuen.

Against the bill: Representatives Achin, Crosby and Jewett of Lowell, Colburn of Dracut.

Merrimack River

The resolve extending for three years the time within which the treasurer and receiver-general may issue bonds to the amount of one million dollars for improving the Merrimack river, provided the federal government makes a like sum available, was passed to be engrossed in the senate yesterday afternoon without debate and without a division vote. As this resolve has already passed the house, it will probably be laid before Gov. McCall late this afternoon, and should be signed before the end of the week.

Lowell Textile School

President A. G. Cumnock, Clerk Jas. T. Smith and Principal Charles H. Eames of the Lowell Textile school were before the house ways and means committee, yesterday, urging that committee to put back in the bill the appropriation of $2000 for the teaching of foreign languages, which was stricken out by the committee on education.

They repeated the story which they told previously to the education committee, that South American trade is being "gobbled" by Germany, Spain and Portugal, because business men in those countries are able to send to the southern continent salesmen who can talk with local merchants in their own language, and Massachusetts cotton mills are at a serious disadvantage because such salesmen are not available.

HOYT.

THE MAN IN THE MOON

The late April blizzard possessed considerable vigor, dampening the ardor of those who were all ready to welcome the gentle spring maiden, putting a temporary blight on the busy end of "dress-up" week, and effectually knocking out the well known sprinkling cars, which, by the way, I'm half inclined to think are as much a curse as they are a blessing. But we may expect anything from this blessed month—from snowstorms to the softest showers; from March blasts to August zephyrs. Nice little month, too, with lots of cheer and patriotic spirit. Remember that mid-April snowstorm of 35 or more years ago, when it snowed two nights and one day and piled three feet into the valleys of southern New Hampshire? Good little month, too, and is usually on her job in getting mother earth ready for the husbandman and the flowers of May. Yes, the glory of an April day may be uncertain, and she may cut up didos; but, after all, I guess we love her just the same.

Tallarico

Since Pasquale Tallarico, pianist, will be under management next season, his appearance in Colonial hall this evening is likely to be his last in Lowell for probably many years. Music lovers who have not heard him can hardly afford to permit the present opportunity to pass unimproved.

The wonderful playing of this young artist on his two former visits here is recalled with delight by all who attended his recitals. The program to be rendered is of such character and excellence as to call forth most favorable comments from musicians and lovers of the pianoforte generally. That the pianist will do his part is a certainty. Take it from me; it will be well worth your while to take this musical event in.

Bowling Alleys

Owners of bowling alleys cannot be too vigilant in keeping the game clean and free from objectionable features. As in local baseball, it is observed that money is more and more figuring not only among many taking part in the bowling game, but also among those on the sidelines. The offering of purses of money for young ladies and gentlemen to bowl for may be termed business enterprise on the part of the manager; but the fact remains that the acceptance of money under these circumstances by these young ladies and gentlemen, while no crime, places them without doubt in a position that later on they might regret. Why the lure of the dollar anyway, as necessary to the life of the bowling game? I have followed the bowling game for several years, and am over seven. I know of the occasional disposition of bunches of bowlers putting up a little pool on the side, and also that many a private bet is settled by way of balls and pins on public alleys. Of course, this is against the rules of the alleys, but is as difficult to stop as a little quiet baseball pool. But the other night I dropped in to a bowling resort and was treated to something new to me, but perhaps not to regular patrons. Six or more young men, some having their hair cut in the latest style, were engaged in bowling. Most of them were betting on their ability to knock down nine pins or better in each box. With placing and collecting their bets it took quite a while to bowl a string. Bets began with a quarter, but later as the game warmed up a half and a dollar was the rule, and I did see a few two dollar wagers made. A few spectators got interested, and they were not slow in backing this or that man bowling with his money. I was rather surprised to see such open manifestation, and looked to see it stopped; but it was still going on when I left. It is bad enough to see the effect of money inducements upon the game, the indifference of many in the interest of amateur sport, but certainly the toleration of open betting upon the alleys is the limit. Yet no more than should be expected. An old-timer like myself protests against it in the interest of decency and clean sport.

Tribute to a Faithful Dog

During the first two years of his life Jack was inclined to the life of a tramp, yet never strayed from the limits of the city. For some time he followed a team of the Brewery about, and later transferred his affections to a coal wagon; but one morning very early on Moody street he took a notion to respond to the invitation of a carrier of the morning paper and he found so many cats to chase that for a long time he reported every morning near the church of St. Jean's for the purpose of engaging in that delightful exercise. I guess he thought more of that than he did of the boy at first; but one morning he kind of hung around the house after breakfast as though he were turning something over in his mind. Anyway, he made up his mind to stick for good, evidently concluding that he had found a good home, where there were plenty of kids, and where he doubtless could get enough to eat. So, for nearly 15 years Jack made his home with this family of which he was a well loved member, dying but three weeks ago, full of years and sincerely mourned. With the exception of one season, which he spent in New Hampshire, Jack paid his license to the city clerk regularly. Once some thief stole a fine collar from him, and thereafter he was quite content to wear less costly ones.

Now, Jack had no pedigree to boast about, but somewhere back there must have been a pretty good strain of dog, I guess, after all, Jack was a mongrel. We used to think that there was some coach and a little pointer, but one thing was certain: there was a large part of bull in his make up. It showed in his brindle spot, his strong jaw and in his deep, powerful chest; in his ability to fight, the business-like way he went about it, and in his kind disposition, especially among children. Jack watched for the chance to do little acts of kindness, to show his affection and always to defend with something akin to jealousy his intimate friends. After Jack came into the family two babies came, too, and he learned what it was to be pulled and hauled. He loved those children. Charlie Hamilton, the cop, used to declare that Jack was the best dog in Pawtucketville. Only last summer he would romp in the yard with the kids, but the last winter brought on an enfeebled state due to the infirmities of age, and so he willingly paid the debt he owed to Nature.

THE MAN IN THE MOON.

INDUSTRIAL AND STORE NEWS

It is very probable that a number of local woolen mills will follow the lead of the American Woolen company in increasing wages.

Members of the Bon Marche Employes' Mutual Benefit association held a meeting last evening in the basement of the store, at which it was voted to hold the annual dancing party of the association in May.

William D. Corcoran, president of the U. S. Cartridge Co. Baseball league and others interested in lending a helping hand to the national pastime at the munitions works, are busily engaged at the present time making out a league schedule.

No tickets will be required for the graduation exercises of the evening classes of the Lowell Textile school to be held tonight in the assembly hall of the Moody street institution. All those interested in the school and its work are extended a cordial invitation to inspect the school and attend the closing exercises.

A number of routine meetings were held in the various union rooms last evening. In Middle street, the Building Laborers', Dresser Tenders', Metal Polishers' and Brewery Teamsters' unions convened and transacted a grist of minor business. Carpenters' union held a meeting in the Runels building.

President Samuel Gompers of the American Federation of Labor has notified all central labor unions of the United States of the decision of the federation to ask the central labor unions, acting for 2,000,000 members to have a new anti-injunction law introduced in all of the state legislatures, in the belief that efforts will be made by "powerful interests to curtail the rights of labor unions by means of legislative action." The proposed law would prevent the issue of an injunction in strikes unless necessary to prevent injury to property, and provides that restraining orders shall not bar picketing and boycotting. It is provided that there shall be no indictments or combinations made with a view to securing wage increases or shorter hours.

Increase For Local Mills

The Bay State mill of this city, situated in Lawrence street, and the Beaver Brook mill in Collinsville are owned by the American Woolen company. Employes of both mills will receive a 10 per cent. increase beginning Monday, April 17. The Bay State mill employs about 400 hands and the Beaver Brook mill about 150. The notices from the Boston office were received late yesterday afternoon.

Wage Increase in Lawrence

The action of the Arlington mills of Lawrence in granting an increase in wages to all employes beginning next Monday will probably have its effect on the cotton mills of this city. It will be remembered that the Lawrence mills were the first to grant a wage increase a few months ago, and their lead was followed by textile industries all over the state.

Cartridge Trouble Settled

That the U. S. Cartridge company intends to play fair with its employes in all matters is shown by Supt. Gerald Cahill's presence at a meeting of fixers held yesterday afternoon. Several of the day fixers quit work when five of their number were discharged and they demanded that the five men be reinstated. Supt. Cahill addressed the men and within a short time the difficulty was amicably settled.

Bigelow-Hartford Co.

The Bigelow-Hartford Carpet Co. will turn over the new club house located in the building formerly used as an office, in Clinton, Mass., to its male employes in about two weeks. A meeting of employes is to be held today at which officers of the athletic association will be chosen. The house is to include a reading room, pool and billiard room, a large assembly room and a small gym with shower baths. A kitchen is also provided on the first floor.

A few mule spinners employed at the Appleton mills walked out on strike yesterday, but their grievance was quickly adjusted by the mill officials and they returned to work.

Secretary C. E. Dane states that the painters have not asked for shorter hours. They are willing to work 44 hours a week.

Organizer James Melaven of Worcester and Charles Cullen, vice president of the Brotherhood of Lafayette, Ind., will be in Lowell soon to help settle the existing differences.

The Arlington mills of Lawrence yesterday posted notices in their mills that a general increase in wages will commence in all mills beginning Monday. The increase will affect 5000 employes. For the past few days over 200 employes of the Arlington mills have been out on strike.

KING STAYED IN TRENCH

Belgian Ruler Insisted He Was a Soldier, Wounded Invalid Claims at Portland

PORTLAND, Me., April 12.—Franz Martron, a Belgian soldier, on sick leave after being three times wounded, left here last night for New York to meet his sister. He said that while in the hospital the queen of Belgium fed him from a teaspoon. He also said he heard the king refuse to leave a trench when urged to do so by an officer, because he insisted that he was a soldier.

APPEARED IN WOBURN COURT

Myer Byarsky of this city appeared in the district court in Woburn this morning to answer to complaints charging him with assault and battery on Azi Fleet of Lawrence and also for dealing in junk in Wilmington without a license. Frank Goldman, Esq., of this city appeared for the defendant and after Byarsky was given a hearing the case of assault and battery was dismissed and he was found not guilty on the complaint of selling junk without a license.

BAY STATE STREET RY. CO.

INTERRUPTION OF SERVICE

Owing to reconstruction of the Chelmsford street bridge, at the B. & M. Depot, the following arrangement will be effective THURSDAY, APRIL 13th, 1916—until further notice:

CHELMSFORD STREET and CENTRE cars will terminate at the bridge. Leaving time will be seven (7) mins. later than from Merrimack square.

Extra cars will operate between MERRIMACK SQUARE and the Bridge, via APPLETON ST.

Regular WESTFORD ST. cars will run via MIDDLESEX, BRANCH and CORAL STS., operating on their regular schedule.

An extra car will operate on WESTFORD ST., between CORAL ST. and JUNCTION WESTFORD and CHELMSFORD STS.

H. E. FARRINGTON, Supt.

Lowell, Mass., April 11, 1916.

LEGAL NOTICES

MORTGAGEE'S SALE

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Samuel M. Danielson to Giovanni Scala, dated October 14, 1911, and recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Book 474, Page 160, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described on Thursday, May 11th, 1916, at two o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage.

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated in the Town of Wilmington and said County of Middlesex, being lots numbered one hundred sixty-nine (169), one hundred seventy (170) and one hundred seventy-one (171) on a plan of Maplebrook Park drawn by the Silverman Engineering company, dated April 17, 1911, and recorded with Middlesex, North District Registry of Deeds, Book of Plans 23, Plan 67, to which plan reference is hereby made for a more particular description, together with all my right, title and interest in the fee to the middle of Bay and Fir streets adjoining said lots, and subject to the right of the public to use said streets as thoroughfares, and subject to restrictions of records.

Containing in all seven thousand five hundred square feet more or less.

Said premises will be sold subject to any and all tax titles, unpaid taxes, municipal liens and assessments, if any.

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A12-19-26

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SISTERS OF ASSUMPTION

MOTHER SUPERIOR SAYS THAT ORDER WILL NOT OCCUPY READE PLACE, AS REPORTED

The rumor to the effect that the mother house of the Sisters of the Assumption would be transferred from Nicholet, Que., to this city, which has been in circulation for the past few days and which has been published in a Boston newspaper, was emphatically denied by the superior of the order in this city yesterday.

It was stated that arrangements had been made for the transfer of the mother house to this city and that the old Reade property in Lakeview avenue would be the new quarters of the order. The superior of the Lowell branch of the order, who is in charge of St. Louis' convent, in conversation with the writer, stated that the home of the Sisters of the Assumption at Nicolet, Que., is one of the best of its kind on this continent. It has been located there for the past sixty years and consists of four large granite buildings, a sisters' home, where 120 sisters are being taken care of; a large chapel, a novitiate and a normal school. The number of pupils at the novitiate and normal school is about 250.

The sister said the Reade property is finely situated, but is not large enough to accommodate the large number of sisters and pupils who are being taken care of at the mother house of the order, and again, she said it is ridiculous to believe that the sisters would abandon the home they have been occupying for the past sixty years. She concluded by saying that as far as she knows the story published in a Boston newspaper is nothing but a canard. The order of the Sisters of the Assumption was founded in Canada and its general quarters will remain in the Dominion. Chrysologue Picard, who purchased the property last January, was also seen by the writer and he denied any knowledge of the proposed deal. Next month he will remove with his family to the stone mansion formerly occupied by the Reade family, and in the course of the summer he will erect several dwelling houses on the land surrounding the homestead.

BASKETBALL COMMENT

The next game in the series between the Crescents and Lowell Five has not been definitely decided upon.

President Andrew Roach of the Lowell Baseball club and Secretary James Kennedy attended last night's game. The fine points of the contest were explained to them by "Jack" Donnelly.

LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Ellen Blinkhorn, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Richard Blinkhorn, of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the thirteenth day of April A. D. 1916, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-eighth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.
John A. Crowley, Attorney.
M29-A5-11

CITY INSTITUTION for SAVINGS

Under the provisions of Section 43, Chapter 590 of the Acts of 1908, the depositors of the City Institution for Savings are requested to present their books of deposit for verification during the month of April 1916.

FRANK W. HURD, Treas.

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TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

Southern Div. To Boston Lve.	Arr.	Southern Div. From Boston Lve.	Arr.	Portland Div. To Boston Lve.	Arr.	Portland Div. From Boston Lve.	Arr.
6.38	6.56	2.55	3.38	6.35	7.26	z6.35	8.06
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8.47	7.33	7.13	8.24	9.40	10.57	10.50	11.53
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Sunday Trains

Southern Division			
6.47	7.39	8.45	9.47
7.21	8.06	9.20	10.08
8.25	9.31	11.30	12.09
9.14	10.46	1.00	1.59
10.20	11.17	5.30	6.21
9.52	8.35	7.15	8.20
6.10	6.05	8.00	8.38
6.28	7.10	8.30	9.08
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Portland Division			
8.00	9.23	6.00	9.18
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CLARA BARTON CONFLICT

No Barton Tablet in Red Cross Building at Washington—Mrs. Logan Plans Memorial

Special to The Sun

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 12.—No memorial tablet in honor of Clara Barton will be placed in the splendid $800,000 building now in process of erection for headquarters of the American Red Cross. Not only did Miss Mabel Boardman, executive officer of the Red Cross emphatically so inform The Sun correspondent today, but an hour later, Mrs. John A. Logan, president of the Clara Barton Memorial association made the same statement with equal emphasis. But the sentiment prompting the two statements was as far apart as the north and south poles. Both women knew whereof they spoke and had made ready the weapons of war. Miss Boardman has spiked the wheels by preparing a resolution directly aimed at any possible attempt to so honor Miss Barton, which she will offer at the meeting of the executive board to be held in New York tomorrow. Mrs. Logan—who was vice president of the organization at the time Miss Barton was its president—has made a counter move by organizing a distinct Clara Barton Memorial association and doesn't propose to ask any odds. She scorns the idea of suing for favor from a society which she feels owes its existence to the patriotic heroism and devotion of Miss Barton. Mrs. Logan asserts unhesitatingly that the Clara Barton Memorial association has entirely different plans for its memorial and does not desire to place a tablet in the new building.

Mrs. Logan and Miss Boardman represent the highest authority of the two factions and both today talked freely and forcefully regarding the matter. The only point of agreement seems to be that no Barton tablet is to be placed in the new Red Cross headquarters. From that point the parting of the way is abrupt and becomes tragic to those who realize the noble work done by Clara Barton in the past, and the great work now being done by the organization—and both in the name of the Red Cross!

Miss Boardman's Statement

Seated at her desk in the temporary Red Cross building Miss Boardman said in substance: "The new building is a memorial to all loyal women of the Civil war. It would be unfair to give especial honors to any one of them. If, howeeh, a tablet should be placed there for any one it would not be for Clara Barton. Mrs. Barlow, wife of Gen. Barlow, should be the first. Mrs. Barlow died of camp fever while nursing the soldiers, and Gen. Barlow gave the first large contribution for the new building. Dorothea Dix should come next, for her humane and heroic work and there are 500 more who would take precedence of Clara Barton, for they sacrificed their all, and in some cases their lives in the work. But we feel that the building in itself is a sufficient memorial and that no discrimination should be made in favor of any one. Miss Boardman referred to the controversy and investigation that came at the time of the reorganization of the society and the resignation of Miss Barton. "I regret the investigation did not continue to a finish," said Miss Boardman, "it would have made our position clear to the world."

The resolution, which follows a preamble and a recital of the proposed inscription reads: "Resolved: that no memorial inscription, tablet or monument of any nature to individuals be placed in or on the Memorial to the Heroic Women of the Civil war." The memorial inscription reads: "A memorial built by the government of the United States and patriotic citizens to the women of the north and south held in loving memory by a now united country. That their labors to mitigate the sufferings of the sick and wounded in the war may be perpetuated this memorial is dedicated to the service of the American Red Cross."

In answer to the direct question "Is the resolution specifically aimed to prevent the possible placing of a memorial to Miss Barton in the new building?" Miss Boardman replied, "That is its main purpose, although I do not believe any tablet or memorial should be placed there. Moreover," added Miss Boardman significantly, "if that reason should prove insufficient, we are prepared to offer objections on other grounds." Miss Boardman did not hesitate to withhold from Miss Barton the credit usually accorded her for heroism, noble work on battlefields and as promoter and founder of the Red Cross in this country.

Mrs. Logan's Views

Mrs. John A. Logan, seated in her library far up on the Heights overlooking the city, gave to Clara Barton all the honor, credit and affectionate appreciation that one woman could possibly heap upon another. "Clara Barton," said she, "has done more for humanity than any other woman in the world. She founded the Red Cross in America; she began what is now called Red Cross work when the 6th Massachusetts regiment was attacked in Baltimore at the beginning of the Civil war. It was Clara Barton, then a department clerk, who came forward and nursed and fed them. She enlisted the sympathy of others for them. She gave up her work here and followed them to the battlefield, working for all who suffered regardless of partisanship. She had the approval and support of the quartermasters department of which General Rucker was the head, but she worked unaided except by inexperienced helpers. She sacrificed everything for the good of the wounded. She was active in service at Bull Run, Fair Oaks, Harper's Ferry and other great battles. Her clothes were drenched with the blood of the wounded, but she worked on. After the war she working untiringly under appointment of the government to locate the 80,000 men whose fate was unknown. It was she who brought about the acceptance of the treaty whereby the American Red Cross was recognized by the Geneva convention." Mrs. Logan referred to the forced abdication of Miss Barton as president of the Red Cross as "persecution" and was unsparing in her denunciations of the methods used.

Referring to the charges of misused funds and no vouchers filed Mrs. Logan said: "Just imagine expecting a woman to leave a dying soldier while she jotted down an account! Those were days of humanity and not of bookkeeping. Miss Barton never misused a penny."

In reply to the question of whether the Clara Barton Memorial association desired to place a tablet in her honor in the new building Mrs. Logan replied: "As long as the Red Cross insists on eliminating Clara Barton so long will the loyal women of the United States decline to have anything to do with the Red Cross organization. We have in mind the erection of a memorial which shall be grand enough to properly pay Miss Barton the tribute she deserves. No specific plan has been decided on but the suggestion of a Greek temple costing about $250,000 and in which would be placed suitable tablets seems to meet with favor. The plan is to organize branches of the association and we have many assurances that army posts all over the country will contribute generously. It will be distinctively a Red Cross memorial, in honor of Clara Barton, the founder and first president of the American National Red Cross—who gave her life to the work."

Perhaps the whole situation is best summed up by the views as expressed by Miss Boardmen and Mrs. Logan regarding certain proposed memorial windows for the new structure. Said Miss Boardman: "It is proposed to have three beautiful memorial windows. One will be donated by the Daughters of the Confederacy; one by the Relief Corps and the third—which will be the most beautiful of all will be a joint gift of the two organizations just named." On the same subject Mrs. Logan said: "It will never be done. The Relief Corps will never contribute memorial windows in a building dedicated to the official use of the Red Cross while that organization denies to Clara Barton the honor which is hers."

And so the breach widens—if it were not already limitless before the present question arose. RICHARDS.

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ELKS' BANQUET

Officers Installed With the Usual Ceremonies Last Night

Before a large attendance of members and visiting guests, the annual installation of officers of Lowell lodge of Elks was held last evening in the Elks home in Middle street. The ceremony was elaborate and impressive and was conducted by many grand lodge officers from all over New England. The installing officers were Grand Exalted Ruler John D. Shea of Hartford, Conn., and Grand Esquire Michael F. Culliney, Grand Leading Knight James A. Sullivan, Grand Inner Guard Cornelius Keating, Loyal Knight Andrew Badracco, Lecturing Knight John Joyce and Grand Secretary John Connolly, all of Boston.

WILLIAM SCOTT
Exalted Ruler

The following were inducted into office: Exalted ruler, William Scott; esteemed leading knight, Eugene V. Brown; esteemed loyal knight, Joseph Haggerty; esteemed lecturing knight, C. Fred Gilmore; secretary, Christopher J. Hagan; treasurer, Charles H. Molloy, P.E.R.; tyler, Edwin W. Killpartrick; trustee for three years, Frederick A. Pilling; Bro. William D. Regan, P.E.R., was elected and installed to fill the unexpired term of Trustee John J. Duff, P.E.R., whose resignation as trustee was accepted by the lodge; representative to the grand lodge, John J. Lee, alternative representative to the grand lodge, John H. Farrell, P.E.R.

At the conclusion of the exercises the members and visitors assembled around the festive board and enjoyed an elaborate banquet. This was followed by a program of singing and speech-making with many humorous stories intermingled. The program went well into the evening and afforded splendid entertainment for all.

What to Do for Itching Skins

Eczema, ringworm and other itching, burning skin eruptions are so easily made worse by improper treatment, that one has to be very careful. There is one method, however, that you need not hesitate to use, even on a baby's tender skin—that is, the Resinol treatment. Resinol is the prescription of a Baltimore doctor, put up in the form of Resinol ointment and Resinol soap. This proved so remarkably successful, that thousands of other physicians have prescribed it constantly for over 20 years.

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HOME CLUB REUNION

TENTH ANNUAL MEETING A GREAT SUCCESS — OFFICERS ELECTED

The tenth annual reunion and banquet of the Home club was held in the Richardson hotel last evening, and the affair like all previous meetings of the organization was a success in every particular. While the membership of this once famous club is annually decreasing the spirit of the surviving members is as young as ever and when the "boys" get together they certainly do enjoy themselves. Some years ago the Home club occupied beautiful quarters in the Wyman's Exchange, and entertained many distinguished persons there. The club was not only prominent in social circles but was also well known politically. Last evening several of the members entertained with stories of the affairs of long ago and in fact all entered into the spirit of the meeting and assisted in making it one of the best in the history of the club.

Shortly after 7 o'clock Pres. Buckley called to order and after extending a cordial welcome to all read letters of regret from Elwyn W. Lovejoy of Lowell, Benj. Agnew of Williamsport, Pa., and R. P. Cunningham of North Adams. He also announced that two members, Arnold S. Welch and J. Barlow Thomas, had died during the year. The members sat down to a very tempting menu, after which a fine musical program was carried out. Walter Clough sang several pleasing selections and George W. Fenton also entertained with solos. Other members of the party contributed and of course "Ye German Brothers" was given. A banquet or in fact any affair conducted by the Home club would not be complete without the singing of this piece and last evening the seven members who sang the number were in excellent voice. John Buckley presided at the piano.

The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Burton Plaisted; vice-president, Wallace Parkin; secretary, A. G. McCurdy, and treasurer, John W. Crawford.

Those present last evening were: John Buckley, Arthur J. Dion, Charles A. Gale, Geo. W. Fenton, John W. Anderson, Wallace Parkin, Dr. Ralph W. Parker, John W. Crawford, Burton W. Plaisted, Dr. Otis Allen, M. S. Clark, Walter P. Wiley, Orrin R. Griffin, Ed. A. Gerry, A. G. McCurdy.

STOLE SHOES FROM CAR

Eight Boys to Appear in Court on Friday on Serious Charge—Shoes Recovered

Eight boys whose ages range from 14 to 16 years and another boy, who is 17 years of age, have been summoned to appear in police court Friday morning to answer to complaints charging them with breaking and entering and larceny. The boys under 17 years will be tried at the juvenile session, while the older boy will be arraigned at the regular session of the court.

According to the police, employes of the Federal Shoe Co. were loading a freight car with cases of shoes one week ago Saturday, the car being on a siding in the rear of the shoe shop. During the afternoon four boys entered the car and stole four or five pairs of shoes.

The following morning one of the boys who entered the car Saturday afternoon informed some other boys, and they went to the car and took more shoes. That afternoon another entrance was made into the car and several pairs of shoes taken.

The matter was reported to the police and Inspector Walsh and Sergeant Petrie were assigned to the case. They found a clue which caused them to question a young man and the latter told a story which incriminated his companions.

Practically all of the property taken was recovered by the police. Several pairs of shoes were hidden in a chimney in a house in Butler avenue, while the others were found in other houses.

INSPECTING LICENSED SALOONS

The members of the license commission completed their inspection of the first and fourth class licensed saloons this morning and now all that remains to pass the inspection of the commissioners is the brewery and clubs. This is the annual inspection preceding the granting of licenses.

TUTTLE DENIES CHARGE

NEW HAVEN, April 12.—Ex-State Senator Dwight W. Tuttle, when informed last night that Louis H. Wolter of Bridgeport had accused him of breaking up the Wolter home, issued a statement denying the charge. Mr. Tuttle admitted that he had done some business with Mrs. Wolter as an attorney, but declared that Wolter's accusation was based on "jealousy."

Mr. Tuttle is mentioned as a republican candidate for lieutenant-governor at the approaching state election.

SEPARATE G.O.P. CONVENTIONS

ATLANTA, Ga., April 12.—That Georgia republicans will send two separate delegations to the national convention in Chicago was made virtually certain today by the gathering in Macon and Atlanta of delegates to separate republican conventions, each claiming to represent the republican party in this state. Selections of delegates and perfection of a state organization was the principal business before each convention.

FLOOD IN PORTLAND, ME.

BLAST OPENS RIVER ON SITE OF HIGH SCHOOL—EXCAVATION HAS FOUR FEET OF WATER

PORTLAND, Me., April 12.—Men blasting granite on the Cumberland-avenue side of the excavation for the high school building, yesterday afternoon, struck a water course and a stream spurted up and soon filled the entire space to a depth of four feet.

A meeting of the building commissioners was at once called. They found that the men had been driven out of the excavation, and arrangements were made for the opening of a drain into the main sewer in the morning. As a precautionary measure, in view of a possible panic, Mayor Chapman ordered the closing of the adjoining Chestnut-street school until the water is under control.

LOWELL GIRL'S PRANK

DRESSED AS BOY AND SAW PRIZE FIGHT AT WOONSOCKET—HAS HAD ENOUGH

You may call this scandal or what you will, but one of Lowell's fairest daughters donned a boy's attire and attended the Flemming—Boyle bout at Woonsocket, R. I., Monday night and let it be understood that she went the full gamut. Just to be sure that her makeup was all right she went into a down town tobacco store, purchased a cigaret, lighted it (don't know how she scratched the match) talked with the boys and went away.

Her experience in the store filled her with confidence and she allowed that she would go through all right. She had provided herself with a suit of clothes that was almost a perfect fit. She wore a wig, cap pulled well down, loose-fitting overcoat and heavy boots. Only one Lowell man who went to Woonsocket to see the Canadian boy pass the sleep pill to Phinney Boyle knew that a Lowell girl was taking the long chance of wearing boy's clothes to see a fight in another state.

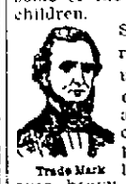
"I wanted to see one fight," she said, "and now I am satisfied. "I thought I would enjoy the uppercuts, hooks, jabs and one thing or another that I had heard my brothers talk about, but I don't want any more of it. Of course I wanted to see the Lowell boy win, but one couldn't help but admire the boy from Montreal. I think he was just fine."

"Did you really enjoy the trip and your experience?" she was asked.

"Y-e-s," she drawled, "but I wouldn't go again. The cigarets made me sick and the talk wasn't what one would hear in church.

GUARD CHILDREN AGAINST WORMS

Pinworms or stomach worms are some of the most dreaded diseases of children.



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Signs of worms are: Deranged stomach, swollen upper lip, sour stomach, offensive breath, hard and full belly with occasional gripings and pains about the navel, pale face of leaden tint, eyes heavy and dull, twitching eyelids, itching of the nose, itching of the rectum, short dry cough, grinding of the teeth, little red points sticking out on tongue, starting during sleep, slow fever.

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EVENING SCHOOL SYSTEM

Normal School Will Assist in Bringing About Many Improvements—Conferences Planned

The project of improving the evening school service is soon to be included among the activities of the Lowell Normal school. The suggestion was made some time ago and has been taken up with great interest by Principal Mahoney of the normal school who has but recently come to Lowell and who has had experience which not only makes him fully aware of the need of improvement of the evening school service but has also fitted him in an especial manner to make valuable contributions to an enterprise of this kind.

In the school report for the year 1911 it was remarked by the superintendent that "there should be some professional training for evening school teachers," and the hope was expressed that a beginning along this line, at least to some slight degree, would be made in the immediate future.

With the consent and approval of the school committee, the matter of improving the instruction in evening schools was discussed by Supt. Molloy with the state commissioner of education, in Boston, and it was agreed that something would be done just as soon as circumstances would permit; it was conceded that, just as many important agencies were employed, and had been employed for years, for the improvement of methods of administration and instruction in the high and elementary day schools, some definite and practical course should be planned and followed for the improvement of the administration and instruction in evening schools, these schools having attained a place of great importance in cities which have a large non-English speaking population.

Toward the close of last year it was suggested to the commissioner of education by the superintendent of schools that the project of improving the evening school service might be included in the activities of the normal school, and in view of the fact that the suggestion has met with favor by the principal of that school, it looks as if the result might be very gratifying.

Conference Was Held

Recently a conference was held at the Lowell Normal school at which were present James A. Moyer, director of the department of university extension; John J. Mahoney, principal of the state normal school; Bernard M. Sheridan, superintendent of the Lawrence schools and Hugh J. Molloy, superintendent of the Lowell schools, and it was decided to hold a general meeting to which all would be invited who are likely to be interested in the work and at which there would be a general discussion of the proposition, and that this general meeting would be followed by conferences of a professional character for those who are immediately engaged in the work of the evening schools.

Following out the above suggestions, the opening meeting has been arranged for on the evening of Thursday, April 27, in the Lowell Normal school and this meeting will be addressed by Dr. David Snedden, commissioner of education; D. Chauncey Brewer of the North American Civic League for Immigrants, and Patrick F. Sullivan, president of the Bay State Street Railway company. The object of this meeting is to interest all citizens who have a knowledge of the subject in the problem of Americanizing the immigrant as a phase of preparedness. And in arranging this meeting it was taken into consideration that the cities and towns of the Merrimack valley offer an exceptional field for this kind of work. Relative to the conferences which will follow the game authorities who have instigated the movement have already organized several professional conferences for teachers during the month of May at times which will be convenient for those connected with the work of the evening schools.

PEACE LEAGUE MEETING

PUBLIC INVITED TONIGHT TO HEAR HON. SAMUEL J. ELDER, MR. HUDDELL AND CONCERT

The Massachusetts branch of the League to Enforce Peace, of which ex-President Taft is the president, will hold a public meeting this evening in Associate hall at 8 o'clock, to which the Lowell public is cordially invited.

The objects of the league and various phases of what it hopes to accomplish at the close of the present war will be discussed by prominent speakers, including Hon. Samuel J. Elder, former counsel for the United States in the fisheries arbitration at The Hague, and an authority on international questions, and Arthur M. Huddell, former president of Boston Central Labor union and a prominent labor leader. Mayor James E. O'Donnell will preside.

There will be a concert by the well known Beethoven quartet of Boston, commencing at 7.30 and selections throughout the evening. The league expects that Associate hall will be taxed to capacity.

STRIKERS RETURN TO WORK

BAYONNE, N. J., April 12.—Nearly all of the 200 Tidewater Oil Co. employes who struck yesterday returned to work today and statements issued on behalf of the company and by the police indicated that the difference had been settled.

LOWELL ORCHESTRAL SOCIETY

The second annual concert by this fine organization will be held Sunday, April 16, at the Playhouse. This organization is at present the best body of musicians that can be gotten together in Lowell. It comprises practically all of the instruments that are necessary for the performance of high class music. Not many cities of the size can boast of such an organization. The individual members give their time and services free. Liddishaw Littlefield, the soprano, will be the soloist of the occasion.

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Wednesday Evening, April 12, at 7.45 P.M.

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ARTHUR M. HUDDELL, Former President Boston Central Labor Union.

HON. JAMES E. O'DONNELL, Mayor, will preside and speak.

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I will sell at absolute auction sale, to whomsoever will bid the most, a certain parcel of land containing about eight acres, more or less, located on either side of St. Mary's Catholic church, about 100 yards from the Collinsville mills, directly on the line of Lakeview avenue electrics. The plot has a frontage on Lakeview avenue of about 600 feet, and is especially attractive for both farm uses or building lots; there is a cellar all in and completed, on a part of the land.

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